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SARATOGA.

THE FIRST SESSION. IN THE EARLY MORNING.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—Saratoga was today the scene of intense political activity, and the constantly arriving trains, regular and special, increased the multitude of Democrats. Some estimates place the number as high as 8,000. Lobbyists, wire-pullers, machine and anti-machine men, together with their heelers, many of whom are of the short-haired variety, are on hand in full force. The dividing line which ordinarily, by the quiet of night, marks the distinction between two days, was totally obliterated by the crowds of delegates and their followers who surged through the streets, discussed the situation, and enjoyed themselves. At 3 this morning every barroom was in full blast. By 5 o'clock those who had retired early were astir, and thus the two days merged into one.

The morning papers were closely scanned in order to ascertain the latest phase of the situation, and as early as 7 o'clock the different headquarters and the various committee-rooms and delegation centres were crowded. Every person was an animated interrogation point, and as no one had any definit information to unload, they simply threw up their hands in acknowledgment of their total inability to answer political conundrums at that stage of the proceedings. There was an evident thirst for knowledge and spring water. The Tammany contingent began the convention day by engaging the entire rolling stock of four or five livery stables and enjoying a delightful morning drive through Judge Henry Hattou's magnificent Woodlawn Park. It was an imposing parade.

THE RUSH FOR THE HALL.

At 9 o'clock the Sixty-ninth Regiment Band and Groffala's Seventh Regiment Band of New York City, which accompanied the Tammanyites and County Democracy here, gave rival entertainments from different hotel piazzas. At this hour the assembled statesmen were fully astir and political matters now sank into insignificance, being dwarfed by the problem of how to obtain tickets for admission to the convention hall. The 384 delegates and press representatives were first provided for, and then came the great scramble for tickets. The town hall seats about 1,500 people, and has on several occasions held fully 2,000. Parlor 10, the headquarters of the State Committee, was besieged by an anxious and nervous multitude. Secretary Hunn distributed tickets to the full capacity of the hall, and then shook his head negatively to all who came after. The disappointed visitors accepted the situation philosophically. The hall was decorated under the management of the local Jeffersonian Club. The speaker's desk and proscenium arch were draped with the National colors, and suspended over the stage was a banner bearing the following: "Welcome by the Jeffersonian Club of Saratoga, N. Y." The telegraphic facilities and accommodation for reporters were ample. S. Wakeman Buel, of Saratoga, a member of the Democratic State Committee, tendered the services of the Jeffersonian Club to the convention, but Daniel Manning, the Chairman of the State Committee, placed representatives of the different factions on duty as guardsmen. At the same time it was apparent that the Albany phalanx had charge of the doors in order to see that none gained admission who had not the Cleveland shibboleth.

The galleries were filled to overflowing long before the delegates were seated. The Flower supporters watched closely the movements of the machine men in packing the hall with Cleveland clackers, and an expression of extreme unhappiness crossed their features.

The convention was called to meet at 1 o'clock, but before noon the crowd began to surge up the stairway and clamor for admission. The air was hot inside in spite of the splendid ventilation, and many of the "gallery gods" stripped off their coats. The delegates filed in singly or in squads, and with little noise or demonstration.

ORGANIZATION.

Daniel Manning, Chairman of the State Committee, took the platform amid applause at 1:23 p. m. and formally called the convention to order.

The speaker named, as the unanimous choice of the State Committee Assemblyman William E. Smith, of Clinton County, for Temporary Chairman. He also named for Temporary Secretaries J. E. Moore and J. J. Master, of New York City. Ex-Governor G. C. Walker and the Hon. A. W. Shepard escorted Temporary-Chairman Smith to the platform. Mr. Smith, who is a tall, spare young man, with a sandy mustache, a pleasant face, a dignified bearing, and a sonorous voice, was received with hearty cheers. He is rated as a Cleveland man, but he was not opposed by any faction. When the applause had subsided, he said they had met under circumstances which could not fail to encourage every one who hoped for the success of the Democratic party in the present campaign. The Republicans had alienated a large faction of their party by the abandonment of principles and the making of campaigns on corruption-funds. By this means Hancock was defeated. But the people are too much interested in the issues of this campaign to make such a result possible again. The Democratic party has kept free from corrupt practices, and has thus not only retained all its former strength, but has gained many recruits. Reports from all parts of the Union show that thousands of Democrats in every State are anxiously awaiting the result of this convention, hoping that it may clearly point the way to the expulsion of corruption from power and the prevention of still greater corruption in the years immediately before us.

This hint at Cleveland was greeted with cheers, though whether they were meant for the sentiment expressed or for the man alleged to represent them was not developed, as the speaker suddenly stopped and asked the pleasure of the convention.

The first business was the usually perfunctory, but this time spirited, calling of the roll. When the name of S. J. Tilden Jr., of the Columbia County delegation, was reached a ripple of applause broke out, and it rapidly swelled into a roar. Similar demonstrations followed the names of John Kelly, Gen. Faulkner, and especially Senator Grady, the Tammany orator. Comparatively feeble attempts were made to thus greet the names of Hubert O. Thompson, the leader of the County Democracy, Col. M. C. Murphy, of Irving Hall, and others. Editor Purcell, of Rochester, received a regular ovation when he arose to announce that the portion of his delegation which had been admitted would not vote until their excluded brethren had been also admitted to their rights. There were contests from a number of districts, and they will make much music when they come up in the convention.

TAMMANY.

The Tammany peril was safely passed. Big threats had been made, after the action of the State Committee last evening, that Tammany would bolt and tear things generally if her demands were not granted. When New York was called, therefore, there was breathless suspense as Col. John E. Fellows arose. This was quickly followed by sighs of relief, however, when he stated that the city factions had agreed upon a basis giving Tammany and the County Democracy each thirty-one votes and Irving Hall ten. This is one more than Tammany claimed. This made everything lovely, and the news was greeted with yells of approval.

The Assembly rules were adopted for the government of the convention.

When the time arrived for the presentation of formal resolutions in relation to the selection of the different committees it became apparent that the New York City delegates had an understanding between themselves, and were to all appearances on harmonious terms. In supporting a number of motions Senator Grady, the Tammanyite, spoke in behalf of his wing, and also for the County Democracy and Irving Hall. This seemed to disappoint a certain number, especially those who had anticipated an open rupture and verbal war. The resolution creating the Committee on Credentials was made by D. Cady Herrick, of Albany, a Cleveland machine man. It was amended by Senator Grady, of Tammany, and adopted unanimously. The resolution creating the Committee on Permanent Organization was presented by S. J. Tilden Jr., of Columbia, a nephew of the great decliner of Gramercy Park and Greystone. Mr. Van Wyck, of Kings, had the honor of moving the resolution relating to the Committee on Resolutions. Other resolutions were also adopted relative to routine matters. At 3:21 p. m. a motion prevailed that a recess be taken till 7 this evening. At 4 o'clock this afternoon the various committees met at different parlors at the United States Hotel.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—At half-past 1 o'clock the convention was called to order by Daniel L. Manning, of Albany, who nominated for Temporary Chairman William E. Smith and for Temporary Secretaries James E. Morrison and Joseph Martin.

These nominations were unanimously concurred in amid cheers.

William E. Smith, the Temporary Chairman of the Convention, in his opening address laid stress on the fact that the Democratic party had gained large accessions to its ranks from Republicans. He said that Democrats everywhere were looking anxiously at the action of this convention. [Cheers.]

The roll of delegates was then called. Contesting papers were presented from the Ninth District, Kings County, by a delegate who said the sitting members had a title that was given them only by fraud, corruption, bribery, and other methods repugnant to honest government.

Soon after the name of William Purcell, of Rochester, was called, and elicited immense cheers. He arose and said the delegation from the Second District of Monroe County would not take part in the convention unless their rights were fully recognized. [Cheers.]

Assistant-District-Attorney Fellows, of New York, arose and said his party was willing to do anything for harmony. [Cheers.]

The name of John Kelly was received with prolonged cheers.

The rules of the State Assembly were adopted.

Mr. Herrick, of Albany, offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

That the delegates from the several Congressional districts select one delegate from each Congressional district to constitute a Committee on Credentials, to which committee, as thus constituted, shall be referred all questions of contested seats, but no member of such committee shall vote upon any contest affecting his own Congressional district.

Ex-Senator Grady said he had no objection to the resolution if the representation be: County Democracy, four; Tammany, three; Irving Hall, one.

The Chairman said he could give no information on that subject.

Mr. Faulkner objected, and offered an amendment that no member shall vote on a contest affecting his own district.

Senator Grady moved to amend that no member shall vote on a contest affecting his own seat. Carried.

William C. Whitney, of New York, offered a resolution that a committee, composed of a member from each Congressional district, be appointed to select delegates to the National Convention, four delegates and four alternates from the State at large, two Presidential Electors at large, and one Elector from each Congressional district.

Mr. Grady, of New York, offered an amendment that of the New York representation the County Democracy have four Presidential Electors and seven National delegates, Tammany three Electors and seven delegates, and Irving Hall one Elector and two delegates.

Mr. Whitney accepted the amendment, and the resolution was adopted.

Ex-Senator Grady offered a resolution that in any case where the delegates of Congressional districts are unable to agree upon the choice they shall report the fact to the Committee on Delegates and Electors, who shall report their recommendation in any such case for action to the convention. Adopted.

At 2:15 an adjournment was taken until 7 p. m.

IN THE EVENING. FLYING RUMORS.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—The afternoon was a busy one all round. The committees were not more industrious than the delegates and the workers at the hotels. The session had not cleared up the mysteries nor developed anything to take the wind out of the sails which were scudding the booms along. Before evening the situation was such as to at least apparently foreshadow the action of the convention. Perhaps the most important disclosure was the firm attitude of Boss McLaughlin, who controlled the Brooklyn delegation and held the key to the whole situation, against giving the delegates any instructions. Neither Flower, nor Cleveland, nor the concealed friends of the many possible or supposititious dark horses combined were able to carry the convention against the dictum of the Brooklyn boss. Then came the news that a further compromise had been made upon the four delegates-at-large. These positions were to be accorded to Senator John C. Jacobs, of Brooklyn, and Gen. Lester B. Faulkner, of Livingston, Flower's lieutenants, and Daniel Manning, of Albany, and Congressman William Dorsheimer, of Brooklyn, the two leaders of the Cleveland forces. To further cement the harmony so hardly obtained editors Oswald Ottendorfer, of the New York *Staats-Zeitung*, and William Purcell, of the Rochester *Union*, were to head the Electoral ticket as Electors for the State at large.

Still, no slate has ever been constructed that a convention could not readily break, and there were known to be enough determined and fiery, not to say cranky, orators on the floor to lead movements for that purpose on this occasion.

WAITING FOR THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

The evening session therefore drew together a concourse of even greater proportions than that of the afternoon. The doorkeepers were more lenient, and the crowd, especially in the galleries, became a crush. The Tammany braves marched in in high feather over their victory so long waited for and so hardly earned, and the miscellaneous multitude was fired with enthusiasm before reaching the hall.

As early as 6 o'clock the delegates and interested lookers-on began wending their way to the convention hall, but the weather being of a torrid nature, they seemed disinclined to take their seats. The hour of 7 saw only about one-third of the places filled. Five minutes later the Temporary Chairman loomed up on the stage and said: "To the gentlemen now in convention: I would state that the Committee on Contested Seats and the Committee on Resolutions will not complete their labors for fully an hour yet, and unless some objection is offered the recess will be extended till 8:30 o'clock."

The convention hall was speedily emptied, though a few remained in order to hold their seats.

DELEGATES AND ELECTORS AT LARGE.

At 8:20 the doors were opened. In a short time the hall was again packed, and the temperature was up to a tropical altitude. Brass music, cigar smoke, and palm-leaf fans were the prevailing styles, and a large percentage of the gallery spectators and claquers were divested of their coats.

The Committee on Nominations reported as follows:

Delegates-at-large—Daniel Manning, Edward Cooper, John C. Jacobs, Lester B. Faulkner.

Alternates—William A. Poucher, J. Russell Parsons, Robert C. Titus, and William Dorsheimer.

Electors-at-large—Oswald Ottendorfer and William Purcell.

Daniel Manning, the Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, is President of the Albany *Argus* Publishing Company, and is also President of the Commercial National Bank of Albany. He is aged about 49 years, and is a man of very fine presence. Mr. Manning is recognized as the head of the Democratic machine in the Empire State, having obtained this supremacy under the Tilden Administration. With the great leverage of his position he has carried forward the Cleveland boom. Though he is often called Boss Manning, the term does not apply to him in the same manner as it does to John Kelly.

Edward Cooper, son of the late philanthropist Peter Cooper, is ex-Mayor of New York City. He is aged about 54 years, and is a man of large means. The ex-Mayor is of good hight, dark brown hair, sprinkled with traces of time, and iron-gray whiskers. He bears the appearance of a New York business-man. He was a great friend and counselor of Tilden during the latter's Administration and is included among those intimate friends who call upon the ex-Governor in his retirement at Graystone. Mr. Cooper has always been an uncompromising anti-Kelly man. He was one of the Mayors elected on the reform boom after the Tweed ring was shattered.

Senator John C. Jacobs has for eighteen consecutive years occupied a seat in the New York State Legislature. He is fully 48 years of age. In stature he is of good hight, and possesses brown hair and mustache. He has acquired considerable reputation as a parliamentarian, and is a fair debater. Senator Jacobs was Chairman of the Democratic State Convention held at Syracuse in 1879, and was nominated by Tammany Hall for Governor. Boss McLaughlin, who sat in the audience at that convention, shook his head at Jacobs, who thereupon declined the nomination. This movement excited the ire of Tammany Hall, who bolted the Syracuse Convention and nominated John Kelly. In the Saratoga Convention today Kelly fully recovers the ground he lost at the time referred to in the above political reminiscence.

Gen. Lester B. Faulkner is a Dansville lawyer. He appears in this convention as the manager of R. P. Flower's canvass. His active working politics in this State has been on the Tilden side up to last year's convention. On that occasion, owing to a personal pique at Gov. Cleveland, he created considerable disturbance in the otherwise harmonious Cleveland ranks. He is now fully over in the Tammany camp, and the Cleveland men consent to his going on as a delegate-at-large simply as a measure of harmony. He is a quick and efficient floor manager in a convention.

William A. Poucher is a prominent lawyer in Oswego. He has served in the Legislature and was a candidate for Attorney-General in last fall's Democratic Convention.

J. Russell Parsons, of Hoosic Falls, is a brother-in-law of ex-Congressman Walter A. Wood, manufacturer of mowing machines. He was formerly a strong Tildenman, but is now a persistent critic of Cleveland because he was not nominated for Railroad Commissioner.

Robert C. Titus is the present State Senator from the Buffalo district. He is one of the discoverers and promoters of Gov. Cleveland.

William Dorsheimer, formerly Lieutenant-Governor, is now a member of Congress. His terms as Lieutenant-Governor covered those of Tilden and Robinson. While it was through his management at St. Louis that Tilden was nominated for President in 1876, he is now a member of Tammany Hall and a strong opponent of the Tilden-Cleveland management of the party.

Oswald Ottendorfer is the editor of the New York *Staats-Zeitung*. He is put on to catch the German vote.

William Purcell is the editor of the Rochester *Union and Advertiser*. He is a Tammany man; was defeated for Secretary of State in 1881, and he lays his defeat to the Cleveland machine.

CONTESTED SEATS.

The Committee on Contested Seats reported in favor of the sitting Kings County delegation, and in the case of the Second District of Monroe the William Purcell delegation was recognized. In the Second and Third Districts of St. Lawrence the delegations recognized were those headed by T. L. Harris and John O. Bridges.

GETTING TO WORK.

Temporary Chairman W. E. Smith was made Permanent President, and this announcement brought down another storm of applause. He returned thanks for the further honor conferred upon him. J. J. Morrison and J. J. Martin were made Permanent Secretaries. A long list of ornamental Vice-Presidents and Secretaries was read, when the report was adopted with a rush. The Chair called for the report of the Committee on Resolutions. Mr. Waterbury, of the committee, made some brief remarks, in which he said that the man to be nominated at Chicago should be what the Republican nominee is not. He argued that this was the time to supplant the Republican party, and sought to have his hearers believe that the only honest men to be found in the country were included in the Democratic ranks. [Wild applause.] Mr. Waterbury's voice, of the rattling tin-pan order, could not fill the hall, and the result was that there were frequent interruptions. An allusion to Cleveland elicited applause that was suppressed by the Chairman's gavel. He started to read the resolutions, when a chorus of "Louder!" rang out and calls were made for Clerk Morrison. The Chair finally restored order, and Waterbury, in his weak voice, waded through the resolutions. When he read the resolution indorsing the Administration of Cleveland, a cyclone of applause and cheers resounded through the hall. Some one in the audience called for three cheers for Flower, but it was a dead failure and was followed by hisses. The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

DELEGATES.

The presentation of the report of the Committee on Delegates occasioned some discussion. As there were several omissions it was adopted in part, and additions subsequently made. At this point the smooth sailing was roughened by several brisk breezes. The delegates from two of the five Assembly districts of the Twentieth District presented a protest against the delegates placed on the roll, stating that they had not been notified of any meeting of the delegates from that district. The three other district delegations had fixed things in a secret meeting. The Chairman refused to allow the protest to be received. The Fourteenth District had a much more complicated case, and it gave rise to a lengthy debate. D. Cody Herrick, of Albany, proposed to divide the delegation to Chicago, but this was opposed in a fiery and much-applauded speech. W. Burke Cochran also made a vigorous speech, and it became clear that the Tammany orators were altogether too much for their opponents in debate. W. C. Whitney, of the County Democracy, added his voice in support of the Tammany orators, and the convention voted that way almost unanimously. This gave Tammany one more representative upon the State Committee and two more delegates to Chicago.

NOMINATIONS.

The names of Charles A. Rapallo, a Democrat, and Charles Andrews, present members of the Court of Appeals, were moved as the nominees for reelection. These gentlemen were placed in nomination by the Republican State Convention, which recently met at Utica. One Fagan, of Rensselaer, made a strong partisan appeal for all Democrats to oppose the nomination of Judge Andrews because he was a Republican. Judge Cowen, in defense of the judiciary of the State, criticised the harangue made by Fagan and indorsed the nomination of Judge Andrews. He argued that the bench should be held aloof from politics. Mr. Backus, of Queens, and Lee, of Saratoga, wanted all to believe that they were Democrats, breathed nothing but Democracy, and would vote for nobody but a Democrat. They presented the name of Rufus W. Peckham as a substitute for Judge Andrews.

Senator Grady favored both the nominations of Judges Rapallo and Andrews. The names of Judges Peckham and Barnard, which had previously been presented, were withdrawn. These gentlemen had authorized no person or persons to offer them to the convention. The nomination of Rapallo and Andrews was made unanimous and elicited great applause.

The State Committee was then announced. Several routine motions were made and the convention adjourned at 11:05 p. m.

THE PLATFORM.

DODGING THE TARIFF ISSUE.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—The Committee on Resolutions, which today drew up the platform for the State Democratic party, met in the United States Hotel. Nelson J. Waterbury was elected Chairman. Two labor partisans presented resolutions and made speeches praying the Democratic party to insert in the platform those principles of reform in the prison contract system and the cheap labor question which would insure the vote of the Labor party for the Democratic President. The following sub-committee was appointed to draw up the platform: Francis Stettson, Chairman; Judge D. C. Calvin, J. S. Ross, E. Ambrose, and H. R. Grant. They remained out until 6:30, when Stettson read the resolutions. Objection was made by Edward Cooper to the tariff plank, which he asserted was a touchy subject, and one that should be left to the Chicago Convention.

A general debate followed whether this tariff plank should be incorporated and adopted.

The hour for the meeting of the convention—7 o'clock—passed, and still the Committee on Resolutions was hotly but good humordily discussing the tariff clause. The convention, in view of that state of affairs, adjourned until 8:30. Ex-Mayor Cooper, of New York, Judge Waterbury, Stettson, and Ross, who were the author of the tariff plank each in turn spoke for and against the clause. Finally the ayes and noes were called and resulted in a decided majority against putting the tariff clause in the platform. Each clause of the platform was then taken up and adopted.

THE TEXT.

Resolved, That the Democracy of the State of New York, assembled to appoint its delegates to the National Convention of the party, commits to those delegates, in association with the representatives of the party from other States, the general declaration of Democratic principles upon National issues, at the same time recognizing that no issue more important than the election of a President of the United States whose character and public reputation shall give to the whole people assurance of honest, impartial, and efficient administration of the laws, without a suspicion of personal ends or private interests.

Resolved, That as a declaration concerning the matter of the seat of Government, this convention adopts and affirms the resolutions of the conventions of the party in 1874, 1876, and 1882, to which the people of the State have given hearty approval; that it recognises the duty of the Legislature to respect the popular vote in 1883 for the abolition of the contract system of labor in prisons; and that it heartily commends anew the efficient and upright Administration of Grover Cleveland.

Resolved, That the delegates to the Democratic National Convention to be appointed are hereby instructed to enter that convention as a unit, and to act and vote as a unit in accordance with the will of the majority of the members thereof. Any delegate, or alternate occupying the place of a delegate, to be bound by this rule, and in case of the absence of both delegate and alternate from any district the vacancy to be filled by a vote of the majority of the delegation.

THE DELEGATES.

THEIR NAMES AND PREFERENCES.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—The following delegates were elected to the National Convention:

Delegates-at-large—	
Daniel Manning	Unpledged
Edward Cooper	Unpledged
John C. Jacobs	Cleveland
Lester B. Faulkner	Cleveland

The district delegates are as follows, with their preferences:

1.	John H. Sulphin	Cleveland
	Benj. W. Downing	Anti-Cleveland
2.	Felix Campbell	Unpledged
	John G. McCain	Unpledged
3.	William C. Kingsley	Unpledged
	Aug. Van Wyck	Unpledged
4.	Henry J. Cullen	Unpledged
	James Kane	Unpledged
5.	Archibald Bliss	Unpledged
	Michael O'Keeffe	Unpledged
6.	M. C. Murphy	Cleveland
	Lake F. Cohane	Cleveland
7.	Abram S. Hewitt	Cleveland
	August Belmont	Bayard or Cleveland
8.	Michael Norton	Cleveland
	Thomas F. Grady	Anti-Cleveland
9.	John Keenan	Cleveland
	John M. Bowers	Tammany
10.	Hubert O. Thompson	Cleveland
	William R. Travers	Cleveland
11.	John Kelly	Bayard
	John R. Fellows	Cleveland
12.	William C. Whitney	Cleveland
	Joseph J. O'Donohue	Tammany
13.	Andrew J. White	Cleveland
	John McQuad	Tammany
14.	W. G. Stahlsoetter	Flower
	George Sanford	Flower
15.	Peter Ward	Cleveland
	Andrew H. H. Jackman	Cleveland
16.	Samuel J. Tilden Jr.	Cleveland
	George Williams	Cleveland
17.	Alton B. Parker	Cleveland
	Frank Gilbert	Cleveland
18.	Edward Murphy Jr.	Unpledged
	Robert Hamilton	Unpledged
19.	A. Bleecker Banks	Cleveland
	Erastus Corning	Cleveland
20.	Winslow Paige	Cleveland
	James W. Green	Cleveland
21.	Smith M. Weed	Cleveland
	Henry D. Graves	Cleveland
22.	Daniel Manone	Cleveland
	John Lansing	Cleveland
23.	Joseph S. Stevens	Flower
	Charles B. Moore	Flower
24.	Stephen L. Maynard	Cleveland
	Robert M. Townsend	Cleveland
25.	Henry J. Mowrey	Cleveland
	L. J. Fitzgerald	Cleveland
26.	Eliot Danforth	Flower
	John G. Sears	Flower
27.	Henry D. Brewster	Flower
	Silas N. Gallup	Flower
28.	E. K. Apgar	Cleveland
	David B. Hill	Cleveland
29.	John Flanagan	Cleveland
	M. A. Leary	Cleveland
30.	W. Purcell	Flower
	John Girling	Flower
31.	James A. Hanlon	Cleveland
	J. D. Lang	Cleveland
32.	Solomon Schus	Cleveland
	Daniel N. Lockwood	Cleveland
33.	John M. Wiley	Cleveland
	David Millar	Anti-Cleveland
34.	Charles D. Morris	Cleveland
	James W. Mann	Cleveland

Forty-five delegates are for Cleveland. The eight Kings County delegates are unpledged, but will vote for Cleveland. Downing, in the First District, was removed from the office of District-Attorney of Queens County by Gov. Cleveland on charges of receiving money improperly. He hates Cleveland accordingly, but before he was chosen a delegate he gave pledges to vote for Cleveland if a majority of the State delegation shall favor him at Chicago. Ex-Senator Grady, of Tammany Hall, is also Cleveland's bitter foe, and was the occasion of the personal-comfort letter to John Kelly. John Kelly and the three remaining Tammany delegates are understood generally to favor Bayard. Murphy and Hamilton have been anti-Cleveland men, but today gave up further opposition with the explosion of the Flower boom. Six delegates favor Flower, Millar, anti-Cleveland, from the Thirty-third, will probably vote for Bayard. The personal preferences of the delegates are of no especial importance, as by vote of the convention the whole seventy-two will vote as a unit for the choice of the majority. Cleveland has over fifty delegates, as was assumed by THE TRIBUNE a month ago.

THE SURRENDER TO TAMMANY.

THE MAN WHO "DIDN'T GET THERE."

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—Roswell P. Flower has served Tammany a good turn without improving his own situation in politics. Before he entered upon this crazy canvass for the Presidency he was distinguished as the man who beat William Waldorf Astor for Congress. He now has the bad fame of being the only man, sane or insane on the subject, who ever followed the Presidential band-wagon about during the boom period of a canvass. The vanity of the man prevents him from appreciating the grotesqueness of his being here in his own behalf. Flower need not be considered in any discussion of this convention. The opposition to Cleveland has at no time meant favor to Flower. It is opposition first of a personal nature generated here and there in the State by failures to obtain office or to consummate schemes by legislation. Second, it is opposition of a political character for the purpose of enabling the old anti-Tilden faction to regain possession of the party management. The occasion was ripe for the opposition. Cleveland's backers are carried away with the thought that they are to achieve the return of their party to power in Washington. If they did not believe this as they believe their Bible they would never risk their man in a Presidential campaign. They would keep him in training for the next Governorship. They think the Republican sun has touched its western horizon. The Independents are loaded to with the abiding faith that the sick Israelite gazed on the brazen serpent lifted up in the desert for his healing. No Cleveland boomer can be made to see a difference between the situation in 1882 and that of this year.

CLEVELAND'S BACKERS.

To secure the nomination of Cleveland, therefore, Mr. Manning and his regency surrender practically everything to Tammany Hall, though they have been fighting for those years.

EASTERN PIG-IRON ASSOCIATION.

READING, Pa., June 18.—The annual meeting of the Eastern Pig-Iron Association, composed of owners of 100 furnaces east of the Alleghenies, representing $25,000,000 capital, was held today. Reports presented indicate that the present slight dullness in trade will be succeeded by bright business and heavier orders.

ACCIDENT TO A CHICAGO MAN.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 18.—[Special.]—James Mahoney, pressman at the *Public Ledger* office, had his hand severely crushed in a power press while setting ink. His home is in Chicago, for which point he expected to leave Sunday next to spend the summer.

The Fire Department Inspected.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The announced official inspection of the fire department took place today. Mayor Wallber and other city officials, accompanied by members of the Board of Aldermen and others, spent the entire day in visiting the fire-engine stations, watching tests, etc. At the Central Station the department was found to be in the most perfect and efficient order ever reported in the history of the city.

Wisconsin Grand Temple of Honor.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The Grand Temple of Honor of Wisconsin began its annual session in this city this afternoon. Grand Worthy Chief Templar Pulcifer reports that the debts owing to the order in this State are paid, and everything is flourishing. A mass-meeting was held at Asbury Church this evening.

THE MILITARY ENCAMPMENT.

Postponement of the Competitive Drill on Account of Rain—The Companies That Will Participate—A Review.

DUBUQUE, Ia., June 18.—[Special.]—Heavy showers deluged the camp grounds today and prevented the competitive drill. Late in the afternoon an attempt was made to go through the exercises, but the competition was deferred till tomorrow morning. The companies entered for the infantry drill are the Tredway Rifles, of St. Louis; Company D, First Minnesota; Branch Guards, St. Louis; Company C, of Muscatine; the Mobile Rifles; National Rifles, of Washington City. Zouave drill—The Chicago Zouaves and the Busch Zouaves, of St. Louis. Cavalry drill—The Light Cavalry Squadron, of Milwaukee, and the St. Louis Light Horse Squadron, dismounted. Artillery—Washington Light Artillery, New Orleans; the Muscatine Battery, and the Danville (Ill.) Battery. Mounted artillery—The Omaha and Fort Snelling batteries; a battery from Cresco composed of veterans of the late Ninth Iowa Regiment carries with it the old battle-flag of the regiment. Three more companies—the Rockford Grays, Company A of the Third Iowa Regiment, and the Governor's Guards from Des Moines—arrived this morning. Late in the afternoon there was a grand review of troops on dress-parade, participated in by thirteen companies of infantry, one of cavalry, and the United States regular batteries, with five consolidated bands and three drum corps. It was the finest dress-par

"Take our County Democracy, take the organization of the port, take our self-respect, take everything," they cry out to Tammany, "but for Heaven's sake don't kick." In 1879 they rammed Robinson down Tammany's throat. In 1881 they solemnly resolved that there was no Tammany. In 1882 they said we must have 38—24—10 or fight. In 1884 they throw up the sponge and surrender. Tammany comes in on an equal footing now. Next year Tammany will take possession of the State Convention and the year after Mr. Kelly will turn Mr. Manning out of the organization. To gain an alleged reform candidate for the Presidency the Tildenites turn their back on the most desirable reform that could happen in this country, and that is the reform of the Democratic party.

But Tammany has, no doubt, made a better bargain than the securing of a grip on the port organization. Theodore Roosevelt had Gov. Cleveland sign a bill to give the Mayor of New York absolute power of appointment. That is precisely the power John Kelly would like to possess himself of. Part of the price of his withholding a kick here is no doubt support from the County Democracy of his elevation to the New York Mayoralty. The Cleveland boomers reason that when Kelly is Mayor Cleveland will be President. Instead of public works they will have the United States Treasury to handle. Instead of Croton aqueducts they will be building an isthmus canal. So they think the bargain good on their part. It is a fair sort of negotiation, but what will become of the negotiators of the first part if the Presidential goods fail to be delivered?

A HOLLOW PEACE.

SIGNS OF A "KICK."

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—The peace patched up here does not extend beyond the principals to it. There are grumblings and threats among anti-Cleveland Democrats who protest against being delivered over in this sort of way. They declare that Cleveland cannot carry the State, and while they do not pretend to care about the ridiculous ending of Flower's boom they insist that Bayard, or McDonald, or some man out of this State would receive heartier support than Cleveland will. The nature of the peace is fully indicated by the delegation and Electors-at-Large. Of the former Manning and Cooper are the only ironclad Cleveland men. Jacobs will stand for Kings County which is always regarded by its representatives as holding a balance of power which it never exercises. In the National Convention Jacobs, if permitted by boss McLaughlin, will look out for Gen. Slocum's opportunity to get on the tail end of the ticket. Faulkner is here as floor manager for Flower. He is opposed to Cleveland, is ambitious himself, and will take advantage of every turn of affairs at Chicago to throw the nomination out of this State. He has burned the bridges that connected him with the Manning machine. One of that machine has said that Faulkner and Jacobs belong with Tammany. He hoped to see them driven in Kelly's camp permanently. They were kickers and marplots on whom no dependence could be placed. If a reasonable chance appears of beating Cleveland Cleveland's enemies in and out of the party, they are as likely as not, to be found breaking away from the unit rule and going for the winning man.

Of the four alternates-at-large only one of them—Robert C. Titus—can be counted on as an ironclad Cleveland man, and even he has a grievance against the Governor on account of the legislation and appointments in Buffalo. He has suffered ostracism also from the close Cleveland ring in that city. His place in the alternate delegation-at-large is the price of harmony in Cleveland's own city. William A. Foucher was set aside by the Manning machine last fall. He had the support for Attorney-General of all the anti-Cleveland votes in the State Convention, and nothing but this patched-up peace has occurred since to reconcile him. J. Russell Parsons, of Hoosic Falls, was in cahoot with Mayor Murphy, of Troy, and both were Cleveland men up to a year ago last winter, when Cleveland refused to make Parsons a Railroad Commissioner and C. C. Lodenick, Murphy's friend, Superintendent of the Bank Department. In this fight they have been both anti-Cleveland. William Dorsheimer's attitude has been hostile to the Tilden traditions of the past since before Tilden's term as Governor expired. He was hardly on speaking terms with Gov. Robinson, though serving as Lieutenant-Governor under him. In the famous State Convention of 1879 he led the bolt and marched out of the hall arm in arm with John Kelly. Since then he has been with Tammany. It thus appears that out of the eight delegates-at-large and their alternates only Manning, Cooper, and Titus are ironclad Cleveland men. The others are off color toward the machine.

STANDARD-OIL PAYNE

FOR CLEVELAND.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—The active support given to Gov. Cleveland by Corporation-Counsel William C. Whitney, Senator S. B. Payne's son-in-law, is reported to have been tendered with Mr. Payne's approval. Mr. Payne some time ago wrote to a leading Democratic politician and personal friend in Albany that he did not intend to be a candidate for the Presidency. Cleveland and Hoadly seem to meet with some favor here tonight, but there has been no talk of importance concerning the Vice-Presidency.

AN ESTIMATE

BY FLOWER'S BROTHER-IN-LAW.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—Ex-Lieut.-Gov. Allen C. Beach, in conversation with THE TRIBUNE correspondent at midnight, made an estimate of the seventy-two delegates to Chicago. He said that thirty are for Cleveland and the remaining forty-two anti-Cleveland, and who those forty-two would favor he would not say. He added that no vote was taken to show Flower's strength in the convention and that the Cleveland men avoided a vote, fearing that it would display their weakness. He also said that all concessions were made in favor of the Flower boom. Beach is a brother-in-law of R. P. Flower and one of his most ardent supporters, which the Cleveland men say colors his views and statements.

ANOTHER CALCULATION.

Out of the seventy-two delegates to Chicago forty are estimated to be pronounced Cleveland men. As the unit rule is instructed to the unit rule the Cleveland men have control of the New York delegation. At midnight the bands are playing and all the Democrats are happy, except the Flower men. But few of the delegates and followers will leave town before tomorrow, and this will be made a carnival of jollification by the unterrified. The streets at midnight are filled with people. The new State Committee will hold a meeting at the United States Hotel.

STILL ANOTHER.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—A canvass of the Cleveland men here shows their claim to be that the delegation from this convention goes to Chicago 8 to 1 in favor of Cleveland. Many of the Flower men concede Cleveland's majority, but do not admit it to be even 3 to 1.

THE DAY IN REVIEW.

HOW THE FLOWER BOOM FADED AWAY—GENEROUS VICTORS.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—The Flower boom collapsed utterly this afternoon, as it was inevitable that it should, and as, a fortnight ago, it was indicated that it would as soon as Mr. Flower's friends were compelled to abandon boasts and manufactured news and face figures directly. For two days the Flower boomers have been allowed to make themselves and their candidate supremely ridiculous in Saratoga. The Manning men allowed the bubble to stretch itself to its utmost dimensions and then pricked it. Three hours before the convention met, at 4 o'clock, Gen. Lester B. Faulkner, who has been engineering the Flower movement, saw its futility and voluntarily came to Mr. Manning and tendered his sword in token of surrender. He had lost his own district, and had seen that he could not get into the National Convention at all, except by submission. He had even been thrown off of the State Committee, on which he had served ever since the old Tilden days. Mayor Murphy, of Troy, and several other leaders of note of the Flower battalions, also came in and surrendered their colors to Mr. Manning. Mr. Flower himself began for the first time to realize that he was beaten, and passed the plazza in solemn humiliation. The few ignorant but genuine followers of Mr. Flower swore somewhat at what they termed their unfaithful allies and declared they would make the fight again under more favorable circumstances. The experience of the last few weeks would satisfy most men, Mr. Flower, however, is sure to turn up as a candidate for Governor next year. The only question in the Manning camp was how to treat the returning prodigals—some were in favor of extreme measures, but after deliberation it was determined to concede to them enough to insure perfect harmony of feeling. Tammany accordingly granted more than her request for a representation of thirty. Mr. Purcell was allowed to go to the National Convention. Mr. Faulkner was put on as delegate-at-large, and as a result, in the most harmonious convention held by the party in recent years, a State delegation, in which forty-five are original Cleveland men and eight converts to Cleveland, was chosen without a murmur of dissatisfaction and instructed to vote as a unit, thus securing Cleveland the seventy-two votes of the State.

The delegation was not instructed directly to vote for Cleveland, by name, as it was apprehended that the small Flower element might take the occasion to raise a disturbance, which would perhaps have been misunderstood in other States, and treated by the boomers of the Flower press as an event of consequence. The resolutions indorsing Cleveland's Administration were enthusiastically received, and the immediately subsequent attempt of a few boomers in the gallery to cheer for Flower was greeted with good-natured laughter by the galleries. The Flower boomers will doubtless attempt to claim the delegation in the absurd manner in which they claimed the convention before it met. One of the few politicians of any skill whatever connected with the Flower boom confesses that he never saw how Flower could possibly receive more than 137 delegates, although at the time the Flower men were claiming over 200. No vote was taken in the convention, and it was impossible, therefore, to give the exact measure of the actual Flower strength. Both sessions of the convention were tame and uninteresting, the evening session in particular, when the result was a foregone conclusion, being without incident. It was the program of the Manning machine to smooth away all difficulties, and the convention was unnecessarily reduced to the level of mediocrity.

The Committee on Resolutions had a long debate over a tariff plank, favoring a tariff for revenue only. Ex-Mayor Edward Cooper, one of the delegates-at-large, bluntly told the committee that if these words were inserted in the National platform he did not believe the Democratic party would carry a single Northern State. It was finally resolved to reënact the two Tilden reform planks of 1874 and 1876 and the Cleveland plank of 1883. The plan of associating the Tilden historical reform myth with the Cleveland actuality is thus scrupulously adhered to, as the platforms were all based on the reform idea and were ratified by majorities of 50,000, 30,000, and 192,000, respectively.

Daniel Manning was elected Chairman of the new Democratic State Committee.

Joseph Pulitzer, editor of the New York *World*, who is here, says: "I believe Cleveland will have the full New York delegation at Chicago. I think he will get the nomination. I think he ought to have it. I believe if he gets it he will be elected."

THE MACHINE.

HOW IT WORKED THINGS.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—Flower tonight puts the best possible face on affairs. He says the machine pulled his best and most trusted leaders away from him and then did not dare come to a direct vote as a test of strength. He will continue to be a candidate for the Presidency and may be looked for to repeat at Chicago his performance here. His friends are sore, but content themselves with cursing "Dan" Manning, the machine, and Cleveland, and in asserting that Cleveland cannot carry New York. The machine believes that by granting an increased representation it has drawn the fangs of the Tammany tiger, and Mr. Purcell, whose power to cut the Democratic ticket has been demonstrated in several campaigns, has been placated by the voluntary tender to him of everything he asked. Machine managers brag that a machine which can concede to the opposition everything it wants and still retain 51 out of 72 delegates is a good machine to have, even in favor of a reform Governor.

PRESS COMMENT.

NEW YORK "TRIBUNE."

NEW YORK, June 18.—[Special.]—Discussing the Saratoga Convention the *Tribune* says: "Mr. Cleveland would be quite acceptable, is said, to the persons who call themselves Independents. He would also be entirely acceptable, we are able to add, to the Republicans in this State and throughout the country, who propose to elect Mr. Blaine in any case, but could not desire a smoother road than the nomination of Gov. Cleveland would open to them. This statement is made with the full understanding that the Democrats will think it insincere. We trust they may continue of that opinion until they have made Gov. Cleveland their candidate."

THE "TIMES."

The *Times* says: "There is one thing certain, the name of Mr. Flower will not be presented at the Chicago Convention. It is tolerably certain that the New York delegation in the National Convention will be prepared to present Gov. Cleveland's name and give him a united support, and there will be no active opposition shown from his own State. If the representatives of the party from the rest of the country are ready to accept him on his record and on the assurance that he is the choice of this State, he will be nominated."

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTIONS.

MICHIGAN.

DELEGATES.

DETROIT, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—At 10 o'clock this morning the district delegates to the State Democratic Convention held their caucus in White's Grand Theatre and elected the following district delegates to the Chicago Convention:

First District—Daniel J. Campau, Detroit; John Harrison, Wayne.
Second District—Col. F. M. Holloway, Hillsdale; John Strong, Monroe.
Third District—Michael Shoemaker, Jackson; Devillo Hubbard, Calhoun.
Fourth District—Charles H. Kimmerle, Cass; F. E. Stevens, Van Buren.
Fifth District—Horace B. Peck, Allegan; John H. Withey, Kent.
Sixth District—M. L. Bagg, Clinton; Arthur J. Eddy, Genesee.
Seventh District—Elliott G. Stevenson, St. Clair; M. T. Brabb, Macombe.
Eighth District—James K. Wright, Gratiot; Jerome W. Turner, Shiawassee.
Ninth District—Robert R. Blacker, Manistee; Daniel R. Soper, Newago.
Tenth District—S. O. Fisher, Bay; C. P. Black, Tuscola.
Eleventh District—William P. Preston, Mackinaw; John W. Powers, Escanaba.

PRESIDENTIAL.

At noon Chairman Barnes called the convention to order, and the call was read by Secretary Pennington of Charlotte. Dan H. Dickinson, of Detroit, was announced as Temporary Chairman, and Henry F. Pennington Temporary Secretary. In his speech Chairman Dickinson alluded to the Presidential candidates as follows: "If it was that true chevalier, Bayard, or that gallant young yeoman, the Governor of the State of New York, true to the plain and upright Judge who never betrayed the principles of the Democratic party—Judge Field—or that upright statesman, Joseph McDonald, of Indiana, or nearer still, the gallant Hurd of Toledo, whoever he was he would be worthy to be followed." Bayard, Cleveland, and Hurd were applauded. A man in the crowd shouted Butler, and then more hisses and applause. Cleveland is the undoubted first choice of nine-tenths of the delegates. Payne's name is scarcely mentioned. McDonald is only mentioned as a possible contingency, while all speak in warm terms of Bayard. The most universal expression is, however, that it would be dangerous to nominate him on account of his famous Dover speech. Senator Block, of Tuscola County, seems greatly in favor of Thurman, but a diligent search among delegates failed to find another man in favor of the Ohio statesman's nomination. As for Butler, only two men speak favorably of his candidacy—O'Brien J. Atkinson, of Port Huron, and J. D. Turnbull, of Alpena.

TALK OF FUSION.

The convention is particularly noticeable for the number of young men among the delegates. Maj. Stevenson of Flint, Gov. Begole's private secretary, is here to work for his chief's reelection. Chairman O. M. Barnes believes in fusion between the Democrats and Greenbackers in Michigan, and regards Begole's renomination as settled. He thinks the two parties in the State will also fuse on an Electoral ticket, giving seven names on the ticket to each party. The feeling against the attitude of John Kelly toward Cleveland is intensely bitter. Many do not hesitate to say that the party is better off without Kelly than with him. Said one enthusiastic delegate this noon, "We will nominate Cleveland at Chicago whether the New York delegation is in his favor or not." Another delegate from Kent said: "Kelly is playing into the hands of the Republicans this year as he has in times past. Personally I hope he will go over to the Republicans and stay there."

This afternoon there was quite a breeze over a motion to send greeting to the Saratoga Convention presenting Cleveland as the nominee of the convention, and a workingman's delegate moved Butler as an amendment. The tact of the Chair prevented a row.

DELEGATES-AT-LARGE.

For delegates-at-large the convention elected Timothy E. Tarsney, of East Saginaw; O. W. Powers, Kalamazoo; Orlando M. Barnes, Lansing; and A. P. Swineford, Marquette.

The delegates, while strongly in favor of Cleveland, are uninstructed. They express no choice for Vice-President.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

DETROIT, Mich., June 18.—The Democratic State Convention upon reassembling this afternoon made the temporary officers permanent, and at once proceeded to business. A resolution was introduced instructing the Chairman of the State Central Committee to telegraph to the New York State Democratic Convention that Grover Cleveland was the first choice of the Michigan Democracy. This created quite an uproar, and was debated at considerable length. While the preponderating sentiment of the convention was accurately reflected by the sentiment of the resolution, it was argued that the New York Convention had divided upon the subject, and that this might seem like officious meddling with other people's business. This view finally caused a tabling of the resolution by a decisive majority. The following gentlemen were then chosen Delegates-at-large to the Chicago Convention: O. M. Barnes, Lansing; Tim. E. Tarsney, Saginaw; O. M. Powers, Kalamazoo; A. P. Swineford, Marquette.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were reported from the committee and adopted:

"We, the Democracy of Michigan, in convention assembled, pledge ourselves anew to the constitutional doctrines of the Democratic party. We deplore the fact that Samuel J. Tilden has declined reëlection to the Presidency of the United States, and we affirm our faith in the sentiments expressed by him in his noble, statesmanlike letter. We believe that home rule is the essence of free government; that the lines bounding State and National authority should be clearly defined to insure the broadest liberty to the people. We believe in an economical administration of the Government, and we denounce the Republican party in power for its waste and extravagance in squandering public money. We demand the immediate reduction of the present outrageous system of taxation, which is accumulating over $100,000,000 surplus revenue each year. We heartily indorse the action of the Democratic majority in Congress in its endeavor to reduce taxation. We believe in commercial freedom; the right of every man to buy where he can buy cheapest and sell where he can sell dearest. We denounce the present tariff levied upon over 2,000 articles as a masterpiece of injustice, iniquity, and false pretense. It has impoverished the many to subsidize the few; it prohibits imports that might purchase products of American labor; it has degraded American commerce from the first to an inferior rank on the high seas; it has cut down the sales of American manufacturers at home and abroad, and lessened the returns of American agriculture, an industry followed by half our people; it costs the people five times more than it produces the Treasury, obstructs the process of production, and wastes the fruits of labor. It promotes fraud, fosters smuggling, enriches dishonest officials, bankrupts honest merchants, favors the rich at the expense of the poor. We demand that all custom-house taxation shall be only for revenue. We instruct the delegates to Chicago elected by this convention to insist upon a reaffirmation of their policy of tariff reform as essential to the consistency and success of the party. We denounce the Republican party for its hypocrisy in declaring for the reform of abuses while it has the sole responsibility, and yet in placing in nomination for the Presidency a man identified with all these abuses and corruptions which have disgraced our politics during the time while his party has been in power."

LOUISIANA.

CLOSE OF THE CONVENTION.

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 18.—[Special.]—The Democratic State Convention at Baton Rouge yesterday was of brief duration and well handled. It met at noon, disposed of its contests and permanently organized, and at 11 o'clock at night was ready for business. The platform was read and discussed till after midnight, the selection of delegates to the National Convention had, and choice of Presidential Electors made, and the body adjourned at 2 o'clock this morning. The resolutions were read by ex-Gov. Wickliffe. The two most notable are: "Fourth—That it is the duty of the country to protect all its citizens alike and to conserve all its industries; hence we have a tariff for revenue, limited to the necessities of government economically administered and so adjusted in its application as to present unequal burdens, encourage production and industries at home, and to afford a just organization to labor but not to create or foster monopolies.

Sixth—That the nomination of Samuel J. Tilden as the standard-bearer of the Democratic party in the coming campaign is not only essential as a rebuke to fraud and misgovernment, but is hereby declared to be the duty of the Democratic party to itself and the country. We declare our reliance upon his love of country and devotion to the party which he has served with such fidelity in the past, and request the delegates selected by this convention to present and sustain the views herein expressed."

There was great opposition to the fourth plank from the delegates north of Red River, but the sugar men had the majority of the committee and the Chair declared the platform adopted as a whole.

Delegates to the Chicago Convention were then chosen as follows:

At large—E. A. Burke and Senator B. F. Jonas, of Orleans; B. C. Wickliffe, of West Feliciana; and A. A. Gunby, of Ouachita.

First District—John Fitzpatrick and Thomas Duffy, of Orleans.

Second District—P. Mealey and James D. Huston, of Orleans.

Third District—T. D. Cafferey of Lafayette and James A. Ware of Iberville.

Fourth District—James Jeffries of Rapides and W. H. Wise of Caddo.

Fifth District—G. C. Goldman of Tensas and C. Newton of Morehouse.

Sixth District—Charles Parlange of Pointe Coupee and R. T. Lewis of St. Landry.

The delegation will support Tilden as long as they can do so. They are not particular as to second choice. Cleveland has some friends and Butler more, but Maj. Burke will manage the delegation to the best advantage.

COLORADO.

DELEGATES AND RESOLUTIONS.

DENVER, Colo., June 18.—[Special.]—The Colorado State Democratic Convention was held in Pueblo yesterday. Resolutions were passed indorsing the free and unlimited coinage of silver and denouncing the infamy of 1876, when Tilden and Hendricks were by fraud and threats of civil war deprived of the offices to which they were elected by the people of the United States. The resolutions further declared that Colorado Democrats would gladly support them again for the offices to which they were once elected, and will cheerfully support for the same high offices the candidates whom the National Convention may place in nomination, and hereby pledge themselves to use all honorable means to elect them and all means necessary to install them in office when elected thereto.

The following delegates and alternates to the Chicago Convention were elected:

John D. McGilvray; alternate, Henry Lee.
M. D. Crow; alternate, M. S. Bailey.
M. Dennis Sullivan; alternate, James B. Dubois.
M. S. Waller; alternate, James Fryer.
J. B. Fletcher; alternate, A. J. Rising.

Gov. James B. Grant was elected a delegate-at-large and James Benedict his alternate. The delegates are a unit in favor of the nomination of Cleveland.

TENNESSEE.

A LARGE ATTENDANCE.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 18.—[Special.]—The State Democratic Convention which assembled in the Hall of the House of Representatives at noon today was attended by more than 1,200 delegates. The Hon. D. L. Snodgrass, of Hamilton County, was unanimously elected Temporary Chairman, and delivered a lengthy speech, in which he counseled harmony, declaring that the Democrats needed all the votes they could command. He favored the payment of the debts of the State and Nation by the internal-revenue tax. The free-trade delegates showed their strength by defeating for a place on the Platform Committee Col. Colyar, the principal editor of the *American*, which is in favor of protection. He was strongly supported by the delegation from Nashville and Davidson County. But the majority was largely against him, and he failed of membership. It had been decided prior to the assembling of the convention that the Hon. John F. House, a former member of Congress from the Sixth District, should be chosen Permanent Chairman, but it was found that he was too sick to preside, so the honor was conferred upon the Hon. J. D. C. Atkins, ex-member of Congress from the Eighth District. Atkins made an extended address in which he said that Congress could levy a tariff, but only for revenue. This statement was greeted with applause, and Atkins, continuing, said that the transportation of freight by railroad could be controlled by the State. As the sentiment expressed the feelings of a large portion of the body applause was liberally bestowed. The convention then balloted for delegates from the State at large and the Congressional Districts to the National Convention.

The convention, which adjourned at 6 o'clock, reassembled at 8:30, and had a lively session. After several gentlemen had been placed in nomination and been withdrawn, the Hon. J. D. C. Atkins and the Hon. Robert L. Taylor, former members of Congress, were chosen Electors for the State at large, and Electors for the Congressional District, were reported. The delegates are much united on the question of the tariff, and as those were in the majority the protection advocates were pushed to the wall.

The delegates to Chicago from the Fourth District are R. T. McLane and D. W. Dingess.

THE DELEGATES.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 18.—The Democratic State Convention met at noon, with the Hon. J. D. C. Atkins Permanent Chairman.

The delegates to the National Convention from the State at large are Albert A. McNeal, Thomas L. Williams, S. A. Champion, John F. House, and the following are delegates from the Congressional Districts:

First—W. S. Dickson, John Slack.
Second—T. W. Henderson, J. C. Cawood.
Third—John H. Savage, James Johnson.
Fifth—Thomas R. Myers, J. C. New.
Sixth—W. A. Quarles, George S. Kinney.
Seventh—Lucius E. Polk, Thomas E. Haynes.
Eighth—H. W. McCorry, H. C. Towns.
Ninth—F. P. Bond, T. E. Richardson.
Tenth—Luke E. Wright, D. K. Reddick.

The convention adjourned to 7:30 p. m.

GEORGIA.

A TAME AFFAIR.

ATLANTA, Ga., June 18.—[Special.]—The session of the State Democratic Convention held here today for the purpose of electing delegates to the National Convention at Chicago was a tame affair. In fact, ever since the nomination of Blaine and Logan and the withdrawal of Tilden from the Presidential contest the Democrats of this State have felt that success would not crown their hopes this year. However, as a matter of form, the convention was called and the body met here today in the State-House. Ex-Congressman Tete Smith was made Chairman, after which the following delegates were elected:

At large—Gen. Alexander R. Lawton, Evan P. Boswell, Patrick Walsh, and A. O. Bacon.
First District—Richard W. Grubb and Joseph I. Sweat.
Second—John Triplett and Marston O'Neil.
Third—Walter T. McArthur, Charles C. Duncan.
Fourth—Frank M. Longley, J. H. Martin.
Fifth—W. C. Parker, George Hill.
Sixth—George W. Gustin and E. F. Williams.
Seventh—L. S. Collier and M. Dwinnel.
Eighth—Hall Lewis and Milton P. Reese.
Ninth—W. L. Peks, William E. Simon.
Tenth—W. H. Parsons and B. Floyd Lawson.

The alternates were also elected. Lawton is for Bayard. With this exception the delegation is for Cleveland and McDonald. That ticket, in their opinion, is the most available. Bayard is the real preference, but realizing the impossibility of doing anything at all with him as their standard-bearer the delegation favors Cleveland. The delegates, while expressing a preference for Cleveland, say that they are willing to do anything to carry Massachusetts and New Jersey. No platform was adopted and no instructions given the delegates. One delegate in a speech said that the Democrats had no platform of principles or policy of party other than to bounce the Republicans. That is all the platform that is needed in Georgia. His first desire is to oust the Republicans, and then run the Government to suit themselves.

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ILLINOIS.

ROCK ISLAND DEMOCRATS.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The Rock Island Democratic Convention was held this afternoon with a fair attendance of delegates. Thirteen delegates were selected by a committee to represent the county at the State Convention at Peoria, as follows: Eugene Lewis, Dr. C. Piper, W. D. Webster, W. J. McEnry, James Winans, B. D. Buford, B. T. Cable, E. W. Hurst, H. C. Connelly, C. W. Durham, M. Schoonmaker, R. Battersby, Louis Wilson. They are not instructed, but are known to favor Cleveland for President. At the mention of Cleveland's name in the convention by the Chairman the cheering was general. In regard to State officers the delegation is without instruction and without definit opinions so far as could be learned. The delegation to the Congressional Convention which was chosen today will favor the renomination of Congressman Neece. A resolution indorsing him was adopted. The delegation to the Senatorial Convention was instructed by resolution to leave the selection of a candidate for Representative to Henry County if the convention of that county can agree upon a nominee. The Hon. P. O'Mara was nominated for State's-Attorney, and John Albrecht for Coroner.

THE PROHIBITIONISTS.

ILLINOIS STATE CONVENTION.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The temperance people in Bloomington tonight are congratulating themselves that the State Prohibition Convention which met this morning was not only the largest but the most respectable temperance gathering ever held in the State of Illinois. The early morning trains brought in the delegates from different parts of the State, and between 9 and 10 o'clock the hotels and streets reminded one that something was on hand outside of every-day occurrences. At the hour of calling the assemblage to order perhaps there were present 500 or 600 delegates and visitors. The convention was held in Washington Hall, which is located over the *Evening Leader* office, and was tastefully decorated with National bunting and emblems of the temperance warfare. In the audience was seen quite a number of prominent temperance workers in the State and elsewhere. Among those most conspicuously noticed were J. W. Nichols, State Temperance Lecturer; J. A. Vanfleet, Chicago; Judge N. B. Erwin, Edwardsville; D. H. Harts, Lincoln; S. B. Evans, Lincoln; A. F. Stover, Greenfield; Col. James Felter, Rochester; George C. Christian, Chicago; J. W. Hazard, State Temperance Organizer for Illinois; A. F. Smith, Decatur; the Rev. G. W. Minier, Minier, Ill.; and others. The most noticeable person present, of course, was Gov. St. John, who, after the convention had fairly got to work, was loudly called for, and, upon ascending the platform, spoke in a very pointed and enthusiastic manner. He at once cut loose at the Republicans and condemned the action of the Chicago Convention which, he said, had totally ignored the 325,000 Prohibition votes in the State of Ohio, and the party would certainly have grave cause to regret it by the time the ides of November roll around. He declared himself squarely on the side of temperance and was unwilling to accept a nomination upon such political clap-trap as the Republican Convention at Chicago had adopted. Neither would he support a Democratic candidate for the Presidency, but was in favor of making a National fight upon temperance principles and a temperance platform. The Governor succeeded in burning all the bridges behind him and made a speech which undoubtedly pleased the entire convention.

In a business way very little was done except the preliminary work of temporary organization, which was afterwards made permanent—W. H. Tibbals, of Lee County, President; A. F. Smith, Decatur, Secretary; R. B. Hazelett, of Stephenson County, Assistant-Secretary. A number of telegrams were read from prominent temperance workers throughout the country bidding a godspeed and hoping for the construction of a platform strong and broad enough to capture and hold the multitude. The Rev. Dr. A. J. Sulkins, the Corresponding Secretary of the National Executive Committee, of Chicago, introduced to the convention a scheme for the raising of funds for the coming campaign. He proposes to raise $10,000 a year by means of $10 annual notes, the number of which will be limited to $1,000. It was received that no one be allowed to vote in the convention unless he be pledged to support the State and National ticket. It is said that Col. D. H. Harts, of Lincoln, who was prominently mentioned in connection with the Gubernatorial nomination, has written a letter declining, hence it is probable that the nomination will either go to George Christian, of Chicago, or Judge Erwin, of Edwardsville. Gov. St. John addressed a mass-meeting at Durley Theatre tonight, and other speeches were made at Washingtonian Hall. The convention meets again tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

OHIO.

COLUMBUS, O., June 18.—[Special.]—About 100 delegates to the State Prohibition Convention assembled in the city-hall this forenoon. Mr. Jay Odell, Chairman of the State Committee, called the convention to order and Mr. Henry Lackey, of Akron, was chosen Temporary Chairman, and B. B. Thomas, of Perry County, Secretary. Committees were appointed as follows: Permanent Organization, Enrollment, Resolutions, Finance. After the transaction of routine business the convention adjourned until afternoon, at which time the Committee on Platform concluded to let the formulation of that document go to the National Convention. President Thompson, however, read the declaration of principles as made during the noon recess. It rehearses the usual assertions as to the damage of the liquor traffic and favors prohibition, declares the purpose of this party to set all things else in Government right, asserts that the old parties are not prepared to do this, etc. It reiterates the assertion as to the alleged false count of the vote on the second amendment last fall. Congressional Electors were then chosen.

The following nominations were made:

Secretary of State—E. J. Morris, Cincinnati.
Supreme Judge—J. W. Roseborough, Fulton County.
Member Board of Public Works—W. J. Kirkendall, Jackson.
Electors-at-large—Z. C. Paine, Franklin, and Ferdinand Schumacher, Summit.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 18.—The Prohibition Home Protection party of California, in State Convention, elected eighteen delegates to the National Convention to be held at Pittsburg July 23. It is stated they will put Dr. R. H. McDonald, of this city, in nomination for the Presidency.

BILL ENGLISH.

HE SAYS HENDRICKS WILL RUN FOR GOVERNOR OF INDIANA.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—William H. English Sr. arrived here today to testify in the matter of the investigation as to whether or not any lobbying was done to secure his son a seat in the House. What William H. English may have to say upon that subject is of little general interest, but he has stated tonight to Democrats that he feels authorized to say that Hendricks will accept the nomination for Governor of Indian. This, Mr. English very confidentially informs his Democratic friends, will insure the State to Hendricks and the Democratic ticket in November.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THEY WON'T HAVE IT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 18.—J. Campbell Sherb and J. C. Martin, elected Presidential Electors by the Democratic State Convention lately held at Stockton, have resigned. They refuse to indorse the platform adopted.

FOURTH MAINE DEMOCRATS.

BANGOR, Me., June 18.—The Democrats of the Fourth District have nominated John F. Lynch for Congress. The delegates to the Chicago Convention are A. J. Chase and John Sonworth.

NINETEENTH OHIO DISTRICT.

WARREN, O., June 18.—Horace Alvord was nominated for Congress today by the Democrats of the Nineteenth District. B. B. Wood and H. P. Fink were elected delegates to the Chicago Convention. They go uninstructed.

FLORIDA INDEPENDENTS.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 18.—The State Convention of Independents met at Live Oak, Fla., today. Twenty-seven counties were represented. Resolutions were adopted denouncing the Bourbon Democracy. P. W. Pope, a bolting Democrat, was nominated for Governor and J. C. Greely, a Republican, for Lieutenant-Governor. This is the first organized Independent movement in Florida.

NOMINATED.

COLUMBUS, O., June 18.—W. C. Cooper, of Mt. Vernon, was nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the Ninth Congressional District by acclamation.

NORTH CAROLINA.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 18.—[Special.]—The Democratic Convention of the Second District met at Weldon today. F. A. Woodward, of Wilson, was nominated for Congress, Donnell Gilliam, of Edgecombe, for Elector, and H. G. Williams, of Wilson, and Thomas L. Emry, of Halifax, for delegates to the National Convention at Chicago. The convention indorsed Cleveland for President.

TRAIN WRECKERS.

More than Thirty People Injured Near Hubbell, Neb.—A Train Ditched Near Falls City.

ATCHISON, Kas., June 18.—[Special.]—Near Hubbell, Neb., miscreants removed the spikes from the rails on the Burlington & Missouri Railroad and took out the fish-plates which hold the rails horizontally. In their holes they had fastened barbed wire, and carrying it beneath the track made it fast to a telegraph-pole, and as a passenger-train approached pulled the rails apart. This was done about sixty feet from the approach to a bridge 150 feet long. The engine left the track, but crossed the bridge on the ties, the jolting causing the bridge to weaken. The cars followed at once, their combined weight causing it to fall in. The entire train of engine, tender, baggage, day coach, and Pullman car went to the bottom a total wreck. There were upwards of thirty persons injured. A special train brought nine of these here, who are in the hospital and at the hotels.

THE VICTIMS.

The injured are:

E. L. Storey, of Chicago, conductor of the Pullman car, hip, thigh, and back injured.

William C. Cook, aged 30, of Bloomington, Ill., hurt in the breast, head, and body, in hospital; will die.

W. H. McNaughton, express messenger, now at Red Cloud, badly injured, contusion at base of brain; if not dead now, will die.

Flouila Soper, Gardner, Kas., now at Wymore, severe sprains and contusions; may die.

W. H. Bailey, Whitefield, N. B., left ear cut off, head much cut.

W. Jacobs, Virginia City, Ill., knees and body injured.

F. H. Lyman, conductor of the train, from Atchison, Kas., now at home, both legs broken below the knees, and other severe bodily injuries.

Alexander Stuart, engineer of the train, at Wymore, left leg broken.

W. A. Wadleigh, Stevens Point, Wis., head, eyes, and arms injured.

R. B. Ward, Connersville, Ind., back injured, badly hurt. His wife the same.

The others whose injuries are not severe are: James Foster, Chicago; J. Davis, of Pawnee City, Neb.; Thomas Morris, Scandia, Kas.; Catherine, Jane, and Matthew Spears, of Brasil, Ind.; James O'Brien, Kansas City; H. Harris, St. Joe, Mo.; O. S. Starris, Lincoln, Neb.; G. E. Brown, Boston; Louis Pemberton, Hamilton, Ohio; Hattie Herily, St. Louis, Mo.

The wreck was undoubtedly the work of men who intended to rob the train.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT.

The midnight train going west met a washed piece of track near Falls City which caused the rails to spread, ditching the entire train. The passengers were badly shaken up, and some bruised and badly injured, but nothing more serious.

FIGHTING FOR LIFE.

Twenty Men Thrown into the Ohio River—The Struggle in the Water.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 18.—One of the most remarkable accidents that have occurred about the falls in a long time, in which the lives of twenty men were involved, happened at the foot of Jackson street today. The men were employed in unloading a large barge of gravel, when suddenly the barge, which was old and rotten, sprung a leak and collapsed before the men could get off. Breaking violently into three pieces, it threw twenty men high in the air, and all fell in a mass into fifteen feet of water. For a while the scene was one of the wildest confusion. The bobbing heads of the men seemed like so many corks, fighting and scrambling over each other for support. Men on shore threw ropes and planks, and all were drawn out except one, a negro named Fletcher Phillips, who went down with the barge. The majority of the men were uninjured, but three or four were seriously hurt by being struck by the timbers of the barge. These are George Warren, George Smith, and Jim Hatch. Hatch was drawn ashore, after having been under water several minutes, in an unconscious condition, having received internal injuries from which he will die. Several of the men had to be resuscitated by having the water rolled out of them. When Clinton Pierce went down three men clung to him and held him at the bottom of the river, and he only released himself after a hard struggle, in which he choked one man until he was exhausted.

THE SHOW ROUTE.

This is the route of Adam Forepaugh's circus parade this morning: Starting from the lot at Twenty-second and State streets at 8 o'clock, moving on State as far as Twelfth street, thence west to Ashland avenue, thence north to Madison street, thence to Halsted street, south on Halsted to Twelfth street, returning to the show-grounds.

THE TURF.

Inauguration Tomorrow of the Summer Running Meeting at the Chicago Driving Park.

Young Rolf and Elmer Winners at Narragansett Park in Straight Heats.

Trotting in the Rain at Marshalltown, Ia.—Running at St. Louis and Pittsburg.

The Chicago Running Meeting.

The summer running meeting given by the Chicago Driving Park, which begins tomorrow and continues eight days, will be one of the most notable events of its kind in the country, as in all of the races on the long program there are a vast number of entries, and the horses engaged are of the highest class.

The first race tomorrow will be the Inaugural Bush, a mile dash, for a purse of $250, in which horses of all ages will be eligible to compete, and, as the distance is a favorit one both with owners and the public, there is little doubt that a large field will face the starter. Then comes the Chicago Stakes, a dash of a mile

THE MAINE STATESMAN.

Mr. Elkins the Latest Notable Visitor at Mr. Blaine's Summer Home.

The Members of the Notification Committee Journeying Toward Boston.

One of George William Curtis' Letters—The Vermont Republican Convention.

THE LEADERS.

AT AUGUSTA.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

AUGUSTA, Me., June 18.—[Special.]—The Hon. Stephen B. Elkins, of New Mexico, and wife, arrived in Augusta this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. Mr. Elkins is the man, it will be remembered, who had the management of the Blaine forces in Chicago, and contributed largely to the success of the Plumed Knight. They brought with them several large trunks, and were met at the station by Mr. Walker Blaine, who drove them to the Blaine mansion, where they will remain during their stay here. Mr. Blaine, Mrs. Blaine, Miss Dodge, the Hon. John A. Logan, and Senator and Mrs. Hale arrived in the city on their return from Ellsworth, and the entire party went to Mr. Blaine's residence, where they will probably remain until after the arrival of the committee to notify Mr. Blaine of his nomination. Mr. Blaine, Gen. Logan, and Senator and Mrs. Hale have been invited to make a visit to Togus tomorrow, and will probably accept. The committee on notification will leave Boston at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, arriving in Augusta at 10 o'clock the same day. They will probably remain here over Sunday.

Letters have been received here by the Mayor of Augusta from Chicago and other cities inquiring if Mr. Blaine is a Catholic.

Gen. Logan, Senator Hale, and Mrs. Hale will leave Augusta for Washington by the first train Thursday morning. It is expected that Tom Sherman, Mr. Blaine's private secretary, will arrive Friday, and Mr. Walker Blaine contemplates leaving for Washington Saturday.

HOME AGAIN.

AUGUSTA, Me., June 18.—Blaine and party arrived here at 10:45 tonight by the Pullman tram. All were driven to Blaine's residence, where they will remain tonight. Gen. Logan and Senator and Mrs. Hale leave for Washington tomorrow morning. Thomas Sherman, Blaine's private secretary, is expected here Friday. Stephen B. Elkins and wife, of New Mexico, arrived this afternoon, and were driven to the residence of Mr. Blaine, whose guests they are. They will remain in the city several days.

AT BANGOR.

A NOTABLE RECEPTION.

BANGOR, Me., June 18.—[Special.]—A reception was tonight tendered Messrs. Blaine and Logan on their return from Ellsworth. There was the utmost enthusiasm manifested among the people of this Queen City of Eastern Maine at their presence, greater perhaps than at Augusta on Gen. Logan's arrival at Mr. Blaine's. After being met by a procession of citizens and conducted to the square fronting the First Parish Church, where preparations for their reception had been made, addresses of welcome were delivered by John Appleton, Esq., late Chief Justice of the Supreme Bench of the State, and by the Hon. S. H. Blake.

Mr. Blaine was then introduced and spoke in the brief manner he has adopted since his nomination was made at Chicago. His presence and remarks were both received with demonstrations and applause frequent and continued. In closing he introduced Gen. Logan, who spoke for nearly a half hour, his remarks being frequently interrupted with applause and cheers. During his speech he reviewed the action of the convention in selecting Mr. Blaine for the head of the ticket, and gave notice to the Independents that the time had arrived when the people claim the right to say who shall be chosen for the highest office in the gift of the Nation, and if they don't soon join the procession it will move along, leaving them upon the station platform. In his description of the man the people want he paid a good tribute to the ability, experience, and character of Mr. Blaine and declared that, although he had himself had some expectations of the nomination coming to him, he was proud to be second on such a ticket as was nominated at Chicago.

At 7:45 o'clock the party took the Pullman train and Mr. Logan will at once proceed to Washington. The demonstrations of pleasure at the visit of the distinguished party are similar to those when Mr. Blaine was nominated. Cannons were fired and steam-whistles blown, while the band and the drum corps added the noise of their instruments to the applause. Salutes of thirty-eight cannon were fired both at the arrival and departure of the train bearing Mr. Blaine and Gen. Logan, and throughout their stay anxiety was manifested by the multitude to greet personally the gentlemen.

THE SPEECHES.

BANGOR, Me., June 18.—Blaine and Logan, with Senator Hale, arrived here tonight on the return from Ellsworth. They were met by an immense crowd and escorted to Stetson Square, where a platform had been erected. Mayor Humphrey called the assemblage to order and introduced Chief-Justice Appleton, who welcomed the distinguished guests. Mr. Blaine spoke as follows:

"I have so often in the past had the honor of a Bangor welcome that I know its depths and sincerity, and I am sure it was never extended to me on any occasion before when it was so grateful as it is today. I expected to encounter no such large assemblage as this. Gen. Logan came to Maine on no public errand, but on a personal visit to myself and to our distinguished fellow-citizen, Senator Hale; but the ardor of the Republicans of Maine would not permit him to go beyond our borders without making manifest to him the cordiality with which he is welcomed to our homes and firesides. I am traveling only as his attendant, and to represent you as the Maine host in giving him a welcome within our borders."

Mr. Blaine here remarked facetiously that no man can play the hero among his own familiar friends, and that that must be reserved to him if he went to other States. [Laughter and applause.] "We are friends and neighbors, and I wish you to join me, as I am sure you will, in doing honor to that illustrious citizen of Illinois, at the time one of the grand Democratic leaders of the State, who, when his country was in peril, forgot all political devotion and divisions, and drew his sword in defense of the Union. [Applause.] I therefore have the honor, as it is also the pleasure, to present to you the great and brave soldier and eloquent and eminent Senator, John A. Logan, of Illinois." [Long and continued applause.]

Gen. Logan said: Ladies and gentlemen: My heart is filled with gratitude at the greeting I have received in the State of Maine while traveling through it. Certainly, so far as I am personally concerned, I most fully appreciate the compliment that is paid by the citizens of this very beautiful town in its greeting today to your honored candidate and friend, who is associated with him. It happens that the people of this country from time to time in accordance with the laws and customs of the Nation are called upon to express their views upon the great questions that are agitating the public mind, and to select from their number persons to act as their agents and representatives in the management of the affairs of this great Republic of ours. A convention recently met in the State where I live (Illinois) in the City of Chicago, representing all the States and all the Congressional districts therein, for the purpose of selecting a standard-bearer for the Republican party for the coming election. When the delegates, being fairly chosen and representing the people of all sections of the country, were assembled together they asked themselves: "What is best for the interests of this great country?" The voice of a great majority of that convention was that the time had come when broad statesmanship was required to place our country and its people in a proper attitude before the civilized world. The mind of that great convention settled upon several propositions. They determined that the people wanted a man of broad statesmanship for its Presidential candidate; that they wanted a man of understanding and experience in public affairs. They wanted a man who sympathized fully with all the great interests of the country. They wanted a man who had manifested by his conduct in public life that he possesses an appreciation of the sentiment that pervades all classes of people for the welfare and future progress of our common country. They felt it would be prudent to take for a candidate a man who understands and appreciates our foreign relations as well as our diversified internal interests; a man who has the ability to see that every right and interest should be cared for and protected; a man who would seek to preserve to us the advantages of our trade and commerce and keep open the avenues by which we may dispose of our manufactures and surplus productions in order that our financial and material prosperity may be ever increasing. When these considerations weighed upon the minds of that convention, although there were many other good and honorable names mentioned that were strongly supported as well fitted for the position, the great majority of the delegates turned their eyes to your proud State and said: "The man who comes nearer to filling the bill than all other names spoken of is the statesman James G. Blaine, of the Pine-Tree State of Maine." [Tumultuous and long continued applause.]

"Now, fellow-citizens, without detaining you but a moment longer, I will say, and mark me well, that by the ides of November, the patriotism of the people will be thoroughly aroused, and the campfires that have been slumbering will be rekindled and burning brightly on every hill, lighting up every valley within the confines of the entire United States of America. [Applause and cheers.] The sound will go forth as one voice from the American people, that the choice dictated by the people is to be by the people recognized and sustained. [Applause.] Notice will then be given that no man or set of men can set themselves up as dictators to the American people as to what they shall do. [Applause.] That neither the Government of the United States nor the Republican party are ready to yield their rights or prerogative to a few men who are over dissatisfied if they can not control. [Applause.] Our Government is built upon the theory that the people shall rule—the Republican party, upon the same theory, demands that the people shall control. [Applause.] We do not wish to lapse into the condition of the old and effete monarchies, where the monarch commands and the people obey. With us the people are monarchs who issue edicts and the people are to be obeyed. [Applause.] The people of this country have no Generals to follow, they have no commanding officers, they command themselves [applause], and let me say that, as in the past, so will it be in the future; and if there are those who claim to belong to us who are unwilling to go along with us they will be found standing upon the wayside when the procession has passed by. [Applause.] Fellow-citizens, I have almost betrayed myself into speaking beyond an acknowledgment of your kindness in this greeting by the citizens of Bangor. I again return thanks to the citizens."

THE SITUATION.

THE NOTIFICATION COMMITTEE.

MEMBERS EN ROUTE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—The Southern members of the Committee of One Hundred appointed at the Chicago Convention to wait upon Mr. Blaine are passing through the city. Most of them leave tonight. Representative Davis, of Chicago, also a member of the committee, leaves for Boston tonight. They are to assemble in that city the 20th and to call upon Mr. Blaine the 21st. After that they will immediately return to Washington and notify Gen. Logan of his nomination. Some members of the committee have indicated their purpose of advising Mr. Blaine to postpone publishing his letter of acceptance until the Democrats have agreed upon a platform and put their ticket in the field.

ITHACA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—Judge Forsker leaves here tomorrow morning to join the committee appointed by the National Convention to tender the Republican nomination to Mr. Blaine. President White, of Cornell University, although a member of the committee, is unable to go on account of commencement exercises tomorrow.

WHY CURTIS BOLTED.

AN ANTE-CONVENTION LETTER.

CLEVELAND, O., June 18.—[Special.]—On the way home from the Chicago Convention the representative of THE TRIBUNE learned that J. A. Kitzmiller, a delegate from the Gettysburg (Pa.) district, was in possession of a letter from George William Curtis to the effect that the Independents were free-traders and opposed to Blaine principally because he was a protectionist. Kitzmiller was at that time disinclined to talk upon the subject. Since Curtis has bolted the nomination he is more disposed to relate the facts of the correspondence, as the receipt of the following letter today will show:

GETTYSBURG, Pa., June 18.—I do not regard the letter of Mr. Curtis to me as strictly private. The 8th of March last I wrote Curtis inquiring as to the political situation in New York. He answered as follows: "The Independents of New York hold the balance of power, and do not see more obnoxious to them than Mr. Blaine could be nominated for the Presidency. The principal reason for this is the strong following he has in Pennsylvania. The Independents are anti-protection, and whoever we elect must be for revenue reform. Neither Blaine, Arthur, nor Logan can carry New York."

J. A. KITZMILLER.

In a further communication Kitzmiller says that on the receipt of the letter he submitted it to D. H. Buehler, editor of the Republican paper at Gettysburg. He feels now under no obligation to withhold the facts. Kitzmiller says that he was not a Blaine man originally, being in favor of Edmunds or Logan, but finding at Chicago that the whole country wanted Blaine he waived his personal preferences and went to work enthusiastically for the nominee.

VERMONT REPUBLICANS.

THE STATE CONVENTION.

BURLINGTON, Vt., June 18.—[Special.]—The Republican State Convention today declared heartily in favor of Blaine and Logan, after listening to a letter from Congressman Poland urging them to stand by the Chicago nominees. The convention was a very harmonious one. The Hon. Henry C. Ide, of St. Johnsbury, presided, and made a telling speech, his references to Blaine being loudly applauded. Lieut.-Gov. Pingree was nominated by acclamation for Governor. He was the only candidate in the field. For Lieutenant-Governor the names of E. J. Ormsbee, of Brandon, and James K. Batchelder, of Arlington, were presented. A ballot gave Mr. Ormsbee a majority of over sixty and his nomination was made unanimous. For State Treasurer the present incumbent, William H. Dubois, of Randolph, was nominated by acclamation. Charles W. Porter, of Montpelier, was nominated for Secretary of State and E. H. Powell, the present incumbent, for Auditor. The platform is a strong one. For Presidential Electors J. D. Hatch, of Burlington, and Hiram Harlow, of Rutland, were chosen. The First District Republican Convention was also held here today, and George J. Childs, of St. Albans, was nominated by acclamation for Presidential Elector.

RICHARD SMITH.

HE RECOGNIZES THE PEOPLE'S VOICE.

CINCINNATI, O., June 18.—[Special.]—Mr. Richard Smith was asked today if it was true that he declared in 1876 he would not vote for Blaine if he was nominated. "Yes," was the reply. "In 1876 I said I would not support him, and I would have kept my word."

"Will you support him now?"

"Yes, I'll support him now. We beat him in 1876 and again in 1880, but the people evidently want him, and I'll support him this time. The people wanted him in 1876, and worse in 1880. At each succeeding convention he has come up stronger than before. Now I say if the people want him let them have him. This is a Government of the people and I'm not going to be obstinate and persist in antagonizing the man they evidently want."

Mr. Smith was reminded that there are Republicans who are refusing to support Blaine. "I know," he answered, "there are a few such Republicans. Here and there you find a man who is so opposed to Blaine personally that he will not vote for him; but the great mass of the Republican party is very enthusiastic for Mr. Blaine. These dissatisfied individuals will have no great influence on the result. They are, as a rule, very intelligent, upright citizens, and their exercise of private opinion must be respected, but it will not greatly influence the result."

GALVESTON.

A RATIFICATION.

GALVESTON, Tex., June 18.—[Special.]—The nomination of Blaine and Logan was enthusiastically ratified by the Republicans of this city tonight. Eloquent speeches were made, in which every allusion to Blaine and Logan met with hearty cheers. The streets were paraded by Republicans, white and black, bearing transparencies, having the following watchwords of the campaign emblazoned on them: "Blaine and Logan and the Spirit of '76," "Protection for Americans and American Industries," "The Plumed Knight for American Manhood," "The Greatest Sovereign on Earth—Our American Citizen," "Blaine Platform—Americanism," "No Competition with the Pauper Labor of Europe." J. Tracy, United States Marshal, and the Hon. Asa H. Stratton, United States District Attorney, were the principal speakers, and laid great stress upon American manhood, American protection, and the Americanism of this country. The ticket will command the Irish-American vote of Texas, as well as the Independent Democrats, who are desirous of seeing the country rigorously and rigidly enforce and maintain the Monroe doctrine.

ONE OF BLAINE'S SLANDERERS.

WHO EBEN F. PILLSBURY IS BY ONE WHO KNOWS HIM.

Bloomington (Ill.) *Leader:* The *Bulletin* (Dem.) of this morning copies a long extract from a speech delivered in Boston by Eben F. Pillsbury, in which a tirade of abuse is indulged in against the Hon. James G. Blaine. Men who were born in Maine are aware who the gentleman is, but as his reputation, such as it is, cannot be said to be National, it is proper to present its odorous variety for the consideration of those who are not natives of the Pine Tree State. In the first place, he is a man of whom every honest Democrat in his native State is thoroughly ashamed. In fact, he may appropriately be termed the Jeff Davis of the Far Northeast. A more bitter, malignant, and persistent disunionist did not exist in the North in the early days of the sixties than this same Pillsbury. He was at that time the editor and publisher of the Franklin *Patriot*, published at Farmington, Me., a paper which supported all the heresies whose natural habitat was south of Mason and Dixon's Line, and which was conducted openly in the interests of the rebellious people of the South. A more contemptible Copperhead sheet than the *Patriot* of those days was not sent out from any Northern city or town, and its influence upon a certain class was most mischievous.

Franklin County, of which Farmington is the shire town, was one of the most loyal in the State, and promptly furnished its quota for the National defense—except one town. That town was Kingfield, located near the Canada line, and notable as the birth-place of Mr. Pillsbury and as a hot-bed of Northern rebellious sentiment. At a very early date Kingfield failed to furnish its complement of volunteers, and a draft was ordered to supply the deficiency. Pillsbury, through the columns of the *Patriot*, counseled resistance. The State officials were driven out of town, and armed rebellion was declared. A company of troops was sent to enforce order and arrest the malcontents. Eben F. Pillsbury was on the ground and led the incipient rebellion in person. Overborne by the majesty of the law and a company of blue-coats, his followers dispersed like so many sheep, and the gallant Eben was dragged from beneath a bed in a farm-house, crestfallen, but still defiant and rebellious. He escaped to conduct his paper through all the dark hours of the War, despondency being apparent when Union victories were reported from the theatre of active hostilities, and jubilation and abundant head-lines being displayed when the Rebels were successful. His office was several times threatened with destruction, and he himself was considered a candidate for the halter, his outrageous attitude being particularly obnoxious to the patriotic people of the section in which he lived. When martyr powder was in demand for the community was at the front fighting for the Union, and the women and children were at work in the fields in the places of their gallant absent husbands, sons, and brothers, the temper of the community was not favorable to such traitors as Eben F. Pillsbury.

He removed to Augusta and engaged in the publication of the *Maine Standard*, a fitting successor to the *Patriot*. Here it was that he encountered Blaine and became his bitterest and most uncompromising enemy. Everything that the English language could suggest in the way of vituperation and invective was launched by him against the rising Republican statesman. But Blaine grew steadily in the estimation of the people, while Pillsbury, raving like a chained cur, steadily deteriorated in public estimation. For several years he ran for Governor on the Democratic ticket and regularly defeated by the largest majorities ever given to a Republican candidate in Maine.

During the Garfield campaign Eben F. Pillsbury was the moving spirit of the hour. Every mean political experiment, including even the crime of forgery, was practiced under his direction. Since that time he has been a dead man even within the lines of his own party. After the Garfield count-out he proved a failure. Pillsbury failed to remove to Boston, the sentiment of his native State being so overwhelmingly opposed to his odorous record that even his presence was considered the contamination of a leper.

It may be added that nearly all the groundless charges which have been scattered broadcast against Blaine originated in the fertile brain of Eben F. Pillsbury. It has been his mission to pursue the Maine statesman with a devilishness unequaled in political annals, but to no purpose. Blaine has risen to the zenith of public esteem, while Pillsbury has gone down to the hades of political death. His life is perhaps the best example of utter failure that the entire Nation can afford. And yet, with all his evil history, he sets himself over against the man who is known and respected throughout the Nation as no other man has been since the days of Lincoln.

PROMINENT NEW-YORKERS.

THEY WILL SUPPORT BLAINE, AND HAVE NO PARTY WHEN THEY QUIT "KICKING."

NEW YORK, June 18.—[Special.]—Mr. Francis A. Palmer, President of the Broadway National, said today: "Abraham Lincoln said it was unwise to swap horses while crossing a stream, and that is my view of National affairs at the present time. The Government in the hands of the Republican party has done well in developing the country's financial and commercial prosperity; therefore it does not seem wise to change that policy for a mere prejudice. The weather is getting warm, and it would be a wise thing for the people to go into the country and leave politics alone until the cooler season arrives. The country will not go to ruin if the politicians take a rest. The Independent Republican movement is neither wise nor judicious. But there is yet time for passions to cool down, and for the people who cast the votes to exercise calm and careful judgment, which will prove stronger than either passion or prejudice."

Mr. Walter K. Marvin, safemaker: "I have always voted the Republican ticket without being a politician, and see no reason why I should do otherwise at the coming election. I cannot see what the Independent Republicans can do in the present state of affairs to mend matters. I was strongly in favor of the nomination of Gen. Arthur; the next best thing is to vote the Republican ticket as it is. The Democrats cannot put up a man who could be so good as to induce me to change my principles as a Republican. Looking at the matter from a business point of view, I think it will be far better for the credit of the United States abroad and the Nation's welfare at home that there should be no change of policy."

Mr. John W. Mason, wool dealer: "I have always voted the Republican National ticket, and can see no necessity for a third party. The question of free trade and protection has been agitating the wool dealers for a long time; but they are as much divided on the subject now as ever. It is a question of personal interest whether a wool dealer favors one side or the other. Mr. Blaine is as good a candidate for the Republican party as I want, and the Democrats on a free-trade platform would have no attraction for me. The politics of a nation should not be split up into a number of petty issues based on individuals. Prosperity is what the voting population should look after, not mere men or parties."

Mr. H. W. Carr, General Agent of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad Company: "In the present condition of National affairs I see no reason why I should not vote for Mr. Blaine. The Independent Republicans do not promise much good as a separate party, but might do injury in destroying the results of the Republican Convention. Mr. Cleveland is not so perfect as to promise a clear victory for the Democrats, even with the Independent Republican indorsement, besides which he has sprung up too rapidly to have experience enough to guide the affairs of the Nation. The Republicans might have made a better choice in the convention; but, as it is, the good of this country can be better subserved by the election of Mr. Blaine than by following any petty prigs of the Republican party."

GOV. CROSBY.

A WARNING AGAINST OVERCONFIDENCE.

Gov. Schuyler Crosby, of Montana, is at the Leland, having just returned from the East, where he has been visiting since the adjournment of the National Convention. Gov. Crosby does not pin much faith in the possibility of electing the Republican ticket without New York, but thinks that is the point where the battle is to be fought, and that it should be carried, and that no effort should be spared to accomplish this result. Of course, if Indiana and West Virginia are carried, so much the better, but it is wise not to calculate on such good luck, and to go in to capture the big game—New York's thirty-six votes. The issue, he thinks, will be close; for, although the ticket will create great enthusiasm, still there will be a disaffection not to be sneezed at, especially among the Germans, and this will be the element that will require special attention. Gov. Crosby says President Arthur takes his defeat gracefully and with good nature, and that there is no doubt he will exert himself to the utmost to secure the election of the ticket.

WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

A LETTER TO THE NEW YORK "TIMES."

INDEPENDENCE, Ia., June 16.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I send the following letter to the New York *Times*, and by request send a copy to you:

INDEPENDENCE, Ia., June 16.—[Editor New York *Times*.]—Permit me to say that your present course in regard to the Republican nominations is a strange one. For many years I have obtained the clubs for your paper here on the express understanding that the *Times* was Republican. And now I am hounded by nearly all to have your paper stopped. My club here are all Blaine men, and it would take 40,000 just such papers as yours to convert one to vote for any other man than James G. Blaine. You obtained these and more subscribers from the New York *Tribune* when Greeley flopped over. He cut his throat (politically) then, and you are doing the same thing now, and the *Tribune* is reaping the advantage. You refuse to support our candidates now, and four years hence we will repudiate yours. This is a game that can be worked in this section as well as yours. It breaks the ranks, and who profits by it? The so-called Democracy, which twenty-four years ago were traitors to our country. Can you afford to do it? Can you without one regret never your paper from the proud position of the leading Republican paper of a great and noble party merely to become the organ of a faction? It was Decatur's motto: to: "My country, right or wrong; if wrong, right her." It would be better for you to adopt it and right any wrong in the party by continuing in it. Pursue your present course and not a subscriber will you get from this section again. Traitors to our country or party have no homes in Iowa. We had two on the fourth ballot at Chicago, and they are denounced all through the State, and their names are a stench in the nostrils of the Republicans of this State. My first vote was for Henry Clay, and I hope to live long enough to vote for James G. Blaine. You will excuse my writing, because I hate to see so good a paper wreck itself in this manner all for personal spite. My club subscribed for your paper as Republicans. They are Republicans yet. You have left the party, and you ought to refund the money from date, and not compel Blaine men to read a paper that by its present course is so obnoxious to them. The old saying is: "Those that dance must pay the fiddler!" Don't continue to dance with our money.

Hurrah for Blaine and Logan!

DR. GEORGE WARNE.

LET THEM HOWL.

WINONA, Minn., June 18.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I am glad to see the universal enthusiasm all over the country over the nominations of Blaine and Logan. Winona is no exception to the general jubilant feeling. Blaine and Logan Club is forming here, and the campaign bids fair to be the hottest since 1860. I spent three of the best years of my life—between youth and manhood—in defense of the principles of the grand old Republican party, and correcting one of the greatest blunders of the Democratic party, and am not now willing to turn the country over to the enemy. All the howling of the Democrats about free trade and civil-service reform is the essence of demagogism. One would think to hear them talk and read what they write that the country was going to the dogs and our Government on the verge of dissolution. Let the wolves howl—it only shows that they are hungry—and the hungrier they are the louder we must expect them to howl. Political starvation has been staring them in the face for over twenty years. Is it any wonder they are becoming desperate through these long years of famine? Let them howl.

I notice fewer copies of the *Times* and more of the *Tribune* are sold here since the nominations were made. Whoop 'er up, and let us make it red-hot before November, 1884.

O. K. JONES.

CHICAGO AS A CONVENTION RESORT.

Philadelphia *Times*: Chicago is the most delightful city on the continent that is at all central for National Conventions. It is as nearly central as St. Louis or Cincinnati, the only two other cities west of the Alleghenies that can comfortably accommodate such immense crowds, and it is the coolest and loveliest city of the West in the summer season. St. Louis and Cincinnati are very hot cities, while Chicago, with the broad sea of fresh water within a square of the Exposition Building and within three squares of the Palmer House, is always cool during the nights and usually comfortably cool during the day. The best theatrical entertainments of the year are now in progress in Chicago, and the leading theatres never close except when necessary for repairs. The drives along the lake and through the parks are delightful, and the hotel accommodations are unequaled by any city of the same population in the country. When people must be brought together from away down East, from the far Northwest, from the new North that has largely grown out of Chicago, and from the far South, Chicago is the place for them to be called. Four National Conventions have been held in Chicago previous to 1884, and three of the candidates there nominated were elected—Lincoln, Grant, and Garfield, leaving McClellan as the only one defeated. This year both parties nominate there, and one of the Chicago candidates must be elected, making the fourth President selected in Chicago in less than a quarter of a century.

STILL SOOTHING CURTIS.

CHICAGO, June 17.—[Editor of the Tribune.]—While the *Times* is bolstering up George William Curtis and applauding his defection, it might be in order for that paper to show some of the independent spirit of which it boasts. Independence in political opinions is not necessarily coupled with violent accusations and a repetition of unsubstantiated charges; and, on the other hand, to men who possess the slightest remainder of honor it would seem that Mr. Curtis is lacking in that quality, though he could arise in the convention and in eloquent terms state [as we are all honorable gentlemen." If this is the support that the "honorable" gentleman thinks should be given to the nominee of his party, that party will in return support his "independent" spirit and his paper in like manner; and fair-minded men outside of the Republican party are not pleased by such evident insincerity. With the difference between a party and an individual, this "honorable" gentleman appears to be following in the historical footsteps of other "honorable" men—i. e.: Brutus and Cassius; but the termination of this question will not be marked by a political headstone for the nominee of the Republican party, and they will need no Antony to deliver an oration.

November will show whether the truly independent sentiment of this country is controlled by the so-called independence of a Curtis, or influenced by the tirades of the *Times*.

EVENDEN.

ILLINOIS.

AT GALENA.

GALENA, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The Republicans of this city held a very enthusiastic ratification meeting last night. The city was lighted up by bonfires built on the high hills which surround it. Bands paraded the streets preceded by torchlights, the whole having rockets and Roman candles. A large and enthusiastic audience gathered at the court-house. Several of our local speakers made stirring addresses. Among the number were Judge Spensely, W. W. Wagdin, W. T. Hodson, J. Fawcett, and R. Barrett. The meeting was called to order by J. S. Brown. B. H. Fiddick was elected Chairman, who in a short but eloquent manner stated the object of the meeting. Gen. Atkins, of Freeport, was present and made a rousing speech, which was received with loud applause. Altogether it was the most successful and enthusiastic ratification meeting ever held in old Galena. Joe Daviess County will give a good majority for the whole Republican ticket.

MOULTRIE COUNTY.

SHELBYVILLE, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—What the Democratic Congressional contest is to Shelby the Republican Legislative fight is to Moultrie County. Shelby, Effingham, and Moultrie compose the Thirty-third District. The Shelby delegation of ten votes is instructed for Walter C. Headen, Effingham will cast her six votes for Joseph Condo of that county, while Moultrie is yet to choose her delegates and has no favorite son for whom to vote. The vote then of Moultrie is the bone of contention, and for three weeks past the contest has grown in intensity and bitterness. Moultrie is unfortunate in having a factional fight of long standing on her hands, and this renders a solid vote for Representative impossible. Headen has the advantage only because his county gives him ten votes, while Effingham has but six to plump for her candidate. Half of the Moultrie vote will give Headen the nomination, while given to Condo will leave him three short of a nomination. The Moultrie primaries will be held next Saturday and the Representative Convention at Windsor June 25.

PEORIA.

PEORIA, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The Republican County Convention here today was very harmonious and very large, out of 213 delegates but three being absent. A poll of the different delegations was ordered on the question of choice for Congressman, resulting in 207 votes for the Hon. Julius H. Starr and three for Maj. Henry W. Wells. Maj. Wells then made a speech promising the choice of the convention should be his from now till November. Resolutions were passed instructing the delegates to use all honorable means to secure the nomination of Starr at the District Convention at Canton and pledging earnest and hearty support to the nominee of that convention, whoever he may be. Resolutions heartily indorsing the Republican State and National tickets were also passed, all the resolutions going through by a unanimous vote. Speeches were delivered by a number of prominent Republicans, the audience and delegates at the first mention of the names of Blaine and Logan rising to their feet and giving three cheers.

OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The Democratic County Convention meets here tomorrow. The general opinion is that the convention will instruct for Cleveland.

AT LOUISVILLE.

FLORA, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The grandest ovation ever given any ticket in this section was awarded to Blaine and Logan at Louisville, the county-seat of this county, tonight. Four packed car-loads went from this town, among which were eighty ladies in uniform, and the enthusiasm was unprecedented. Several speeches were made, the most notable of which was delivered by Randolph Smith, Cashier of the First National Bank here, and formerly a strong and leading Democrat of this section. THE TRIBUNE can put our Congressional and Senatorial districts down for the whole ticket in November next.

INDIANA REPUBLICANS.

IS GRESHAM A CANDIDATE?

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 18.—[Special.]—At midnight last night the Hon. W. H. Calkins, who had wired Postmaster-General Gresham to know if he had authorized or was cognizant of the movement to bring his name before the convention tomorrow for the nomination for Governor, received a telegram reading:

I am in no sense a candidate before the convention. W. Q. GRESHAM.

By all except a few of his friends this was accepted as a declaration consistent with his previously reported statements that he really was not a candidate in any sense; but it was seized upon by them as a basis for determining to place his name formally before the convention. A meeting was held this afternoon, and the situation was carefully canvassed. In answer to the question whether any assurance had been received for Gen. Gresham that he would accept the nomination, Dr. S. B. Vogle, agent of the Post-Office Department from Gresham's own county, stated that he was authorized to say that Gen. Gresham would accept if nominated. So over the opposition of a portion of the gentlemen present it was determined to make him the fourth candidate. Morris McDonald, the recognized leader of the Gresham forces, stated that it was the inference from Gresham's telegram to Calkins and from some letters that had been received from him that the Postmaster-General would not decline to head the ticket. This incident has been the sensation of the day, and has caused much bitterness of feeling. Candidates from the Southern part of the State for other places on the ticket resent the appearance of Gresham. Commissioner Dudley says he had an inkling of the matter before he left Washington, and thinks the movement is directed especially toward him, as Gresham's strength lies largely in the southern part of the State, where Dudley had been promised votes. He announces a determination, if necessary, to combine his forces with those of Calkins to kill off the Gresham movement.

The best opinion tonight is that the introduction of this disturbing element has not changed the situation really, and Calkins will be nominated. The construction of the platform is a vexing question. The temperance people demand at least an affirmation of the plank of 1882, demanding submission of the prohibitory amendment to the people or a recommendation that a constitutional convention be held. Others go so far as to demand the outright advocacy of prohibition. Ex-Secretary H. W. Thompson is Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, and it is probable the platform will merely reaffirm the Chicago declaration and ignore the temperance question altogether. Congressman Peelle will be Chairman of the convention. The gathering of delegates and spectators has not been equaled for years, and the enthusiasm is something unusual. In connection with the convention, meetings were held of the Republican Editorial Association and State Convention of Young Men's Republican Clubs, and the delegates made encouraging reports of the party's condition throughout the State.

The Electors at Large selected by the Republican Convention are the Hon. John M. Butler, of Marion, and Gen. Milo S. Hascall, of Elkhart; alternates, J. D. Wilson, of Ripley, and William Heilman, of Vanderburg. The Hon. Staunton J. Peelle will be Permanent Chairman of the convention.

WISCONSIN.

THE SYSTEM OF REPRESENTATION.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The Republican State Central Committee has decided to recommend to county, district, and other conventions the same system of representation that has been agreed upon for the State Convention. The system is based on the number of Republican votes cast in any given county at the last preceding Presidential election.

THE MILWAUKEE MEETINGS.

The list of speakers for the grand Blaine and Logan ratification meetings to be held in this city next Saturday night was revised this afternoon, and now includes the following-named gentlemen: Gen. F. W. Volmer of Chicago, United States District-Attorney G. W. Houghton, Gen. Lucius Fairchild, Gov. Rusk, Gen. F. C. Winkler, Col. James H. Howe, Joseph Bracken, and Col. John C. Spooner. It is expected that Mayor Walber will preside at one of the meetings and Col. Brodhead at the other. An artillery salute will be fired during the evening.

A SONG FOR BLAINE.

TUNE—"TRAMP, TRAMP, TRAMP."

From the lumber camps of Maine
To the ship-yards on the shore,
Which have waited for the hammer's ring in vain,
First there came a pleading voice,
Which has now become a roar,
"Give us our wisest leader, Jimmy Blaine."

Hark, hark, hark, the voices swelling,
From the seaboard over mountain and o'er plain,
"We have waited long enough, and our temper's getting rough,
We want our brilliant statesman, Jimmy Blaine."

From New Hampshire's granit rocks,
Where the sturdy sons of toil
Wring an honest, scanty living from the soil,
The cry comes rolling on, and with all their might and main
A hundred thousand throats are shouting "Blaine."
Hark, hark, hark, the voices swelling,
From the seaboard over mountain and o'er plain,
And the gray rocks answer back: "We'll make the welkin ring
For we'll have our honest leader, Jimmy Blaine."

At the anvil and the loom,
In the workshop and the mine,
The tolling masses listen with delight,
As they hear the glad refrain, which they echo back again,
"Hurrah! hurrah! for noble Jimmy Blaine!"
Hark, hark, hark, the chorus swelling,
From the seaboard over mountain, mine, and plain,
"We work hard for our living, and we want our rights protected,
And the man to do that business is Jim Blaine."

But hark! what sound appears
To be thundering in our ears,
Like a Western blizzard coming on amain?
'Tis the outburst of the hope of the far Pacific Slope,
That at last they've got a leader, Jimmy Blaine.
Hark, hark, hark, the chorus swelling,
From the seaboard over mountain and o'er plain,
Till the echoes from the West set all our hearts at rest,
And we hail our future President in Blaine.

There is still another land
Where the flag floats proud and grand,
Last'ning, to their weary toil among the cane,
For the name of one they know,
Who was foe unto their foe,
And with tears of love they shout for "Massa Blaine."
Hark, hark, hark, the chorus swelling,
From the seaboard and the mountains to the plain,
While the Southern breezes bring good news on joyful wings—
"We're with you heart and hand for Jimmy Blaine."

Thus from North, East, South, and West,
All the poor and the oppress'd
Throughout this glorious, broad, and fair domain,
Feel their hearts within them rise,
And hope dawns on their eyes,
For they love their trusted leader, Jimmy Blaine.
Hark, hark, hark, the chorus swelling,
From the seaboard over mountain and o'er plain,
The people can't be wrong, for they all join in one song,
"Hurrah for our next President, James Blaine."

June 18, 1884.

WESTERN WHOLESALE GROCERS.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 18.—The Western Wholesale Grocers' Association, in session in this city, today elected the following officers: President, J. H. Merrill, of Ottumwa; Vice-Presidents, A. C. Dart of Rock Island, C. C. Prouty of Des Moines, Ben B. Jewell; Secretary and Treasurer, John Diehl Jr.

A PROMINENT RAILROAD MAN INJURED.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., June 18.—W. J. Underwood, Superintendent of the Sioux City & Dakota Division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Road, had his left leg broken by a runaway horse while driving from the race track this afternoon.

CARTER HITS BACK.

The Triumph of Mackin at the Convention Followed by a Raid on the Gamblers.

All the Houses Which Are Controlled by McDonald Get a Sharp Lesson in Politics.

The Crowd Understands the Meaning of This Spasm of Virtue—Scenes at the Houses.

"I tell you what it is," said Mayor Harrison yesterday to City-Treasurer Dunphy, "if you people let Mike McDonald go into the National Convention as a delegate you will make an everlasting mistake. I have nothing against Mike—I rather like him; but it would be an eternal disgrace upon the Democracy if he should be made a delegate. If Mike McDonald would shut up his gambling-house he would command as much respect as anybody. That is the only thing against him. We can't afford to recognize Mike now, as he is known as the boss gambler of Chicago. If he would confine himself to the business of a wholesale liquor merchant and to his stone-quarry I would be glad to see him get along."

REASONS FOR THE RAID.

Whether the raid on the gaming-houses, which followed close on the heels of this remark to the City-Treasurer, was intended to emphasize and to make it all the plainer that Mike McDonald should not be a delegate to the National Democratic Convention is uncertain. It is more likely that the raid was in fulfillment of a threat made as far back as the city election. At that time it was understood Mr. Mackin was notified that, if he didn't haul off from his Aldermanic candidacy, war would be declared on the gamblers who were supposed to to be friends of McDonald, who was supposed to be a friend of Mackin. Mackin did withdraw, but since then, however, he has kept up a sharp war on the Mayor, has fought him at every point, and has finally emphasized the contest by carrying at least two of the Cook County

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THE WEEKLY TRIBUNE will actively espouse the cause of Blaine and Logan, and will spare no efforts to bring success to the nominees of the Republican party, whose election, it is convinced, will be triumphantly recorded by the people in November.

THE Democrats of the Fourth District of Maine have nominated John F. Lynch for Congress.

AT the election just held in Bulgaria the Radical-Liberals were everywhere victorious. There was some rioting.

MAPLESON has engaged Patti to sing in America next season. She is to receive $4,000 for each concert, and all her expenses are to be paid.

THE Utah bill, in a slightly amended form, passed the Senate yesterday by a vote of 33 to 15. The fifteen negative votes were all cast by Democrats.

THE Directors of the Chicago Board of Trade have decided for various reasons that summer-packed pork cannot be used for regular deliveries.

PHILIP EMERY, a member of the Salvation Army who became crazed through religious excitement, drowned himself at Guelph, Ont., yesterday.

BISHOP SIMPSON, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, died at Philadelphia yesterday, after a lingering illness. He would have completed his 73d year Saturday.

SEVERAL factories at Warsaw and other manufacturing centres of Poland have been searched, and many workingmen have been arrested on the charge of being Anarchists.

THE degree of LL.D. has been bestowed on President Arthur, Gov. Abbett of New Jersey, and Justice Harlan of the United States Supreme Court by Princeton College.

AN English artillery regiment mutinied at Glin, near Limerick, Ireland, yesterday, and made a savage attack on the townspeople, injuring several of them. Some arrests were made.

J. CAMPBELL SHERR and J. C. Martin, nominated for Presidential Electors by the California Democratic Convention, refuse to serve. They cannot indorse the platform adopted.

WILLIAM H. ENGLISH, of Indiana, says that ex-Gov. Hendricks will accept the Democratic nomination for Governor of Indiana, which means of course that he is a candidate for the nomination.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY students on the occasion of some college exercises yesterday cheered the Queen, Lord Salisbury, and Lord Randolph Churchill, and groaned Gladstone, Bradlaugh, and Henry George.

ISAAC JACOBSON, the Finlander, who pleaded guilty in the Criminal Court a few days ago to the murder of George Bedell on North Clark street about six weeks ago, was sentenced by Judge Williamson to be hanged the 19th of September.

A PASSENGER-TRAIN on the New Brunswick Railroad was thrown off the track near St. John's, N. B., yesterday morning. The engineer and fireman were badly scalded and a number of passengers were slightly injured. Seven cars were wrecked.

A NUMBER of West-Side property-owners filed a bill in the Circuit Court yesterday to prevent the West Park Commissioners from collecting the park tax recently assessed. The principal objection to the payment of the tax is that it is unfairly and unjustly distributed.

BY a decision of the New York courts the Rev. John P. Newman is restrained from officiating as pastor of the Madison Avenue Congregational Church, taking charge of its services or meetings, or from receiving salary, save as acting pastor, since March 31 of this year.

LORD-LIEUTENANT SPENCER, of Ireland, unveiled a portrait of Queen Victoria in the town-hall at Belfast yesterday. He was received with mingled cheers and groans. On his way to the hall he was coldly received by the people. He made a speech of the regulation order.

A DELEGATE in the Michigan Democratic Convention wanted a telegram sent to Saratoga yesterday in the interest of Cleveland. Another delegate wanted to send it in the interest of Ben Butler. To avoid a row the Chairman of the convention ruled both parties out of order.

THE Belgian Senate has been dissolved. It had a Liberal majority. The recent elections for members of the constituent Assembly resulted in a victory for the Clericals. It is probable that the Senatorial elections, which will take place July 8, will also result in a Clerical triumph.

SAMUEL E. PINGREE was nominated for Governor by the Vermont Republican State Convention yesterday, E. J. Ormsbee for Lieutenant-Governor, and W. H. Dubois for State Treasurer. Every reference made to Blaine during the convention evoked enthusiastic cheering.

GOV. GRANT, M. S. Waller, M. D. Crow, J. D. McGilvray, Dennis Sullivan, and J. R. Letcher have been selected by the Colorado Democrats as delegates to the National Convention of the party. It is thought they will favor Cleveland. The platform demands free, unlimited silver coinage and an efficient navy.

FREDERICK WILLIAM, the Crown Prince of Germany, has been appointed President, and Bismarck Vice-President, of the new Prussian Council of State, consisting of seventy-one members, including forty-two State officials, three professional men, six clergymen, ten landholders, and six merchants.

THE Chicago produce markets were stronger yesterday, with a little more doing, but weakened towards the end of trading. As compared with Tuesday pork closed steady, lard 7½ cents lower, meats 10 cents lower, wheat ⅜ cent lower, corn ⅜ cent lower, oats ⅛ cent lower, and rye ⅜ cent higher. There was a little doing in wheat for export, and a good shipping demand for corn.

MAJ. E. A. BURKE, Senator Jonas, A. A. Gunby, and R. C. Wickliffe were selected delegates-at-large to the Chicago Convention No. 2 yesterday by the Louisiana Democracy, which declared generally for the old principles of the party, but for a tariff for the encouragement of home industries and home production. The Louisiana Democrats seem to think that Tilden is yet in the field and favor his nomination.

MANY of the members from the Southern States of the committee appointed to notify Mr. Blaine of his nomination have arrived in Washington. They will meet the delegates from the other States in Boston tomorrow and will proceed to Mr. Blaine's home at Augusta the following day. It is believed that Mr. Blaine's letter of acceptance will not be published until after the adjournment of the Democratic National Convention.

THOMPSON WALLING, who left Muncie, Ind., in 1849 at the time of the California gold fever, and who had not been heard from in his old home since 1852, reappeared there a few days ago. His wife, whom he married in 1841, thinking him dead, remarried in 1862, and on the death of her second husband married again in 1866. The third husband died in 1882, and it is thought probable that she will remarry the first husband.

THE delegates to the National Democratic Convention selected by the Michigan Bourbons at Detroit yesterday are mostly for Cleveland. One delegate is for Thurman. The platform denounces the present tariff laws as iniquitous and unjust, the parent of every economic evil, and demands a tariff for revenue only. Much ill-feeling was manifested among the delegates towards John Kelly on account of his opposition to Gov. Cleveland. They accused the Tammany chief of playing into the hands of the Republicans, and wanted him read out of the party.

IN the early part of March of the present year Mr. George William Curtis, of New York, wrote to Mr. J. A. Kitzmiller, of Gettysburg, Pa., who represented that district in the recent National Republican Convention, saying that he (Curtis) was opposed to Blaine, Logan, and Arthur, and that the New York Independent Republicans would oppose the election of any one of them. Blaine, he said, was the most objectionable to the Independents, and for the reason that he is so strong a protectionist and was so strongly supported by the Pennsylvania opponents of free trade. Mr. Curtis said also that the Independents would support no candidate who did not favor revenue reform.

CARTER HARRISON determined to get even with Joe Mackin and Mike McDonald for their revolt against his political mandates yesterday, and at an early hour last evening the police force raided several gambling-houses, arresting the inmates and seizing the gambling paraphernalia. There seems to be no doubt as to the Mayor's motives in this matter. He freely expressed his indignation at the refractory conduct of Mackin and McDonald, and was particularly wrathful when he learned that a majority of the delegates from at least two of the Chicago districts selected yesterday are opposed to his Gubernatorial aspirations and to his purpose to get himself elected as delegate-at-large. The gambling-houses have been run wide open for several months, but it was not until the chief of the gamblers crossed the Mayor's political path that he decided to pull them.

MR. W. T. DOWDALL, who conducts a Democratic newspaper in Peoria, has been in this city for several days looking up Mayor Harrison's record. He has made notes of what he has heard, seen, and learned, and promises to print them for the edification of the rural delegates to the convention which will be held in his town. They will deal with Mr. Harrison's relations to railroad companies, street-car companies, the owners and operators of fertilizing-factories, the Union Stock-Yards Company, the gamblers, and the manipulators of the ballot-box-stuffing gang. Incidentally Mr. Harrison's views on the tariff and the efforts he is said to have put forth for the defeat of the Morrison horizontal bill will be touched on. A very sensational and a very entertaining story will be that which Mr. Dowdall is preparing for the enlightenment and amusement of the Bourbon gathering in his city. Mr. Harrison will hardly enjoy it, though.

THE New York State Convention at Saratoga adjourned yesterday without solving the question of the Democratic Presidential nomination. It was a drawn battle. Two of the delegates-at-large nominated, Daniel H. Manning and ex-Mayor Cooper, are pronounced Cleveland men, while two others, Lester B. Faulkner and Senator John C. Jacobs, are supporters of Flower and are for anybody to beat Cleveland. For Presidential Electors at large Oswald Ottendorfer, of the New York *Staats-Zeitung*, a Cleveland supporter, and William Purcell, of Rochester, a bitter enemy of the Governor, were named. It was a compromise for the sake of appearing to be harmonious all around. The resolutions adopted are of feeble character. Cleveland's Administration is indorsed, the prison-labor contract system is condemned, and the delegates are instructed to observe the unit rule and to vote as a majority of the members shall decide. This may give the delegation to Flower for a time, as his friends claim that he has a majority of the district delegates, but it is believed the delegation would not be sorry to drop him for another. The tariff issue was shirked on the advice of ex-Mayor Cooper, who said it was too ticklish a subject to touch. Everything was sacrificed in order to preserve appearance, and for this reason also Tammany's claims to increased representation were allowed, and John Kelly returns to New York practically master of the situation. The Tammany managers showed superior ability throughout the convention and completely outgeneraled the leaders of the Cleveland party, making excellent use of Flower's crazy ambition to become President.

PRETENSE OF THE PHARISEES.

The New York and Boston Pharisees pretend they have bolted because Blaine was nominated. But that pretense is as false as their claim of Republicanism. Blaine was the choice of his party, and in bolting him they declare their antagonism to the party. Nor have they in any of their resolutions or addresses set forth the reasons why they will not support Blaine. The resolutions adopted at the conference of Pharisees declare that Blaine and Logan were nominated "in absolute disregard of the reform sentiment of the Nation." But that is more a denunciation of the Republican party than of Blaine and Logan. It is equivalent to uttering the falsehood that the Republican party has no sympathy with the reform sentiment of the country. Hence the Curtis and Schurz coterie appeal to all the "reformers" to join the Democratic party. There is where they will find the "reform" they are seeking!

What reform do these Pharisees expect to work out through the agency of the Bourbon party? Is it a reform of the tariff? *Vide* the action of the Democratic House at the present session of Congress. Is it administrative reform? What abuses can they point out under Hayes, Garfield, or Arthur which cry out for a change of parties? Is it a reform of the National policy? In that case do they want to substitute the State-sovereignty doctrines of the Democrats for the National theories always maintained by the Republicans and established by the War? Is it civil-service reform? In that case they propose to begin by turning out 100,000 honest and experienced employés to make room for an army of raw recruits. They favor the success of a party which kicked George Pendleton out of the Senate because he had the patriotism and the courage to propose a law for the improvement of the civil service.

The fact is that the Pharisees are shamefully illogical and insincere. They were all ready to bolt the Republican party for various flimsy individual reasons, and it would probably have been a sore disappointment to them if Edmunds had been nominated, because, having supported him exclusively, they would then have been deprived of an excuse for bolting. Pharisee-like they regard themselves as better than the Republican party, and they go over to the Bourbons to seek congenial companionship. This they have the abstract right to do, but they have no moral right to pose as Republicans when they do it nor to set up preposterous cant about "reform" as the motive which governs them. Fortunately, their position is so illogical and their cant so transparent that they will not be able to deceive anybody who is not as anxious as they are to abandon the Republican party and join the Democratic party.

THE LOGIC OF THE BOLTERS.

The most striking feature of the conference between the "Independent Republicans" of New York and the "Independent Republicans" of Boston was the unanimous eagerness they displayed to vote for the Democratic candidate. "The first duty of the Independent Republicans," said one of their number, "is to induce the Democratic party to put up a good man, and our second duty will be to get him elected." In view of this declaration of purpose, why don't these Pharisees drop the use of the words "Independent" and "Republican" and call themselves Democrats? Simply because they desire to deceive by masquerading as Republicans as long as they can and appealing to the country under false pretenses.

The Pharisees are ready to support any Democratic candidate, but express a preference for Wishy-Washy Cleveland or Copperhead Bayard. Suppose either of these persons be placed at the head of the Democratic ticket, will not his candidacy represent the effort of the Democ-Confederate party to gain possession of the Government? Will not the election of Bayard, Cleveland, or any other Democ-Confederate candidate be likely to throw Congress into the hands of that party? Will not such success effect an immediate revolution in the civil service? The election of the Democratic candidate for President, whoever he may be, means the substitution of Democratic doctrines, influences, and methods in the Executive, Administrative, Judicial, and Legislative branches of the Government; and any man who assists in the election of a Democratic President is in every essential a Democrat. By what right, then, do Messrs. Curtis and Schurz and their associates call themselves "Independent Republicans"?

The New York and Boston bolters represent no issue with the Republican party which differs from the issue made by the Democratic party—the spoils issue. They came to the Republican National Convention, participated in all its proceedings, secured the incorporation of their views in its platform, and acquiesced in the unanimous nomination of its candidates. There is not one of them who will not frankly admit that Blaine was nominated in obedience to the preference of the majority sentiment of the party. They all know that no political convention ever held in this country reflected so fairly and fully the will of its constituents, because never before was the principle of district representation so universally applied. They are all aware that no machine influences were at work for Blaine; he was not even working for himself. Those who attempted to act as "bosses" in the interest of other candidates failed. The convention voiced the principles and preferences of the masses of the Republican party. Thereupon the bolters return to their homes and declare it to be their duty to help elect the Democratic candidate. This is simply a notice that they have gone out of the Republican party and into the Democratic party, and it is at once presumptuous and fraudulent for them to continue to call themselves any kind of Republicans.

BLAINE'S AMERICAN POLICY.

One of the strongest arguments addressed to the American people in favor of Blaine's election comes from England. We refer to the comment made by the *Pall Mall Gazette* upon Blaine's nomination, published in yesterday's TRIBUNE. His selection is regarded with apprehension on the other side of the water because, if elected, Blaine will do more to advance American trade interests than to favor English trade interests. After explaining Blaine's American policy, the *Pall Mall Gazette* proceeded to say:

> Of course, he does not propose to drive us out at the point of the bayonet. He is not a lunatic, but a very able and shrewd Yankee. But wherever he can he will oust us from the position which we hold; whenever an opportunity offers he will use it to the uttermost to replace our influence and our trade by the influence and trade of the United States, and he will regard it as his chief object to promote a great American confederacy under the ægis of the Government at Washington, which would tend to increase the export trade of the United States at the expense of that of Great Britain. This is no mere inference from his acts. It is avowed almost in so many words in an article which he published two years ago in a Chicago magazine [recently copied into THE TRIBUNE], and it is confirmed by every dispatch which he wrote during his short tenure of office under Gen. Garfield.

The above is a very fair statement of Blaine's policy. He proposes by peaceful means, as the English writer admits, to supplant European influence and trade wherever he can on the American Continent by the influence and trade of the United States. It is easy to understand why the English should deplore the successful inauguration of such a policy and would therefore prefer to see Mr. Blaine defeated. But the very same reason which the English have for opposing his election is the very best reason in the world why the Americans should elect him. England may be the loser by Mr. Blaine's policy, but the United States will be the gainer. It is not because we love England less, but the United States more, that Mr. Blaine's policy should be received by the American people with an approval and a support fully equal to the disapproval and opposition it receives at the hands of the English people. The extension of the political and commercial influence of the United States by peaceful methods is the most glorious ambition which could fill the bosom of an American citizen.

England's preëminence in the world's commerce is due primarily to a steadfast adherence to the very policy which meets with English opposition when it is proposed for the United States. Whenever England has gained a foothold in any quarter of the globe, she has watched it, protected it, and developed it. The unpopularity with which Gladstone's Government is threatened today is due to remissness and tardiness in defending England's interests on foreign soil. Mr. Blaine's ambition does not contemplate conquest, nor acquisition of territory, nor complications of any kind with foreign Governments. But he looks forward to the development of more intimate political and trade relations among the nations of the American Continent. England is not to be driven out by the sword, but the geographical advantages and material resources of the United States are to be developed and improved by Government support to the end that the people of this country may enjoy them in the fullest extent. England may not like that prospect; but is there anything about it which is calculated to excite the opposition of the American people? It is to be hoped that the English newspapers will continue to ventilate Blaine's policy, and that they will be assisted by the dudes and cowards on this side of the Atlantic, for nothing will reach the hearts of the American people more quickly or more directly than a vigorous American policy.

THE EUROPEAN CONFERENCE.

Diplomacy is always mysterious, but the diplomatic fog in which the relations of France and England towards the forthcoming European Conference have been hidden has been unusually mysterious and quite impenetrable. At the outset France was determined not to go into the conference or to consider any of the propositions advanced by England as to the settlement of Egyptian affairs except upon an equal footing. Her position was equivalent to a protest against what seems inevitable—namely: an English occupation of the country. Then suddenly the French weathercock veered round to the other point of the compass, and now it appears not only that France intends to go into the conference, but that she has offset the concessions made by the Gladstone Government to save itself from overthrow by offering still more liberal concessions which will help avert such a calamity to the English Liberals.

The Paris correspondent of the London *Times* has undertaken to solve this paradox, and his view of the motives urging the French Government to a reconsideration of its position we print elsewhere. They not only rest upon the authority of an attaché of the Foreign Office, but they have every appearance of probability in themselves and are in keeping with the drift of political events.

The prime motive which has induced the French to made concessions is the knowledge that they can better afford to do that than, by opposing the position of the English Government, allow Gladstone to lose his office, as he certainly would, thereby involving not only a collapse of the entire conference scheme, but the accession of a Jingo Cabinet to power. M. Ferry fears the reaction which would then take place. It would not only still further weaken France's hold upon Egypt, but it would disturb the relations between France and England at a most critical time. The new Cabinet would inevitably be hostile to M. Ferry's Cabinet, for it would inaugurate a more radical policy in Egypt than Mr. Gladstone has pursued, if indeed he has had any policy at all. Instead of dilly-dallying with the Egyptian question, sending Commissioners with authority to treat with rebels and then abandoning them to their fate, ordering troops into the country and then withdrawing them before their work was fairly done, and making all sorts of evasive replies to official queries in Parliament, the Jingo Cabinet would unquestionably enter upon the protectorate of Egypt at once and precipitate matters by an armed invasion of the Soudan. Rather than submit to a future humiliation, which France would have to endure unless she were prepared for war with England, it is deemed more prudent to make such concessions now as will help to keep Gladstone in power. Bitter as the feeling may be against England among some of the French people, there are few of them rash enough to take any position which will be likely to endanger the relations of the two countries.

There are interests elsewhere which actuate France, and one of these the *Times'* correspondent points out. It is the significant possibility that the throne of Holland may be vacated by the death of the heir which will end the Dutch succession. Such an emergency would reopen grave political questions all over Europe in which France and England are particularly interested. If France is on bad terms with England at such a juncture she will have all Europe hostile to her claims when new divisions and compensations come to be made. As the *Times'* correspondent says: "M. Ferry would commit a great, perhaps irreparable, blunder if he overlooked this and were not content with concessions which England might make without deeming herself humiliated by France or constrained to a public confession of powerlessness." There is still another factor in this problem of which the *Times* makes no account, and that is the attitude of Germany, for Bismarck has no other object so steadily in view as the isolation of France from European politics and the weakening of her power on the Continent. There can be little question, however, that he has correctly stated the motives which have induced the French to make concessions, and that in virtue of them the Gladstone Cabinet has secured a new lease of life.

UNION PACIFIC'S NEW PRESIDENT.

The statement in the Washington dispatches that Charles Francis Adams Jr. has applied to the Interior Department for an opportunity to be heard in defense of the Union Pacific is but an imperfect way of describing his position. If he appears at all it will be as much in defense of himself as in defense of the Union Pacific. It is but a very few months since Mr. Adams stood sponsor for Union Pacific in a public letter in which he recommended the stock as a good purchase, and vouched for the management of the road and for its future. The stock was at that time nearer par than it is now near zero. Mr. Adams' language was almost enthusiastic, and he urged the Union Pacific on the favor of the investing public as "the Broadway of the American Continent."

That Mr. Adams was entirely honest in his opinions and sincere in the expression of them need not be said, for his character is of the highest. But the unceasing decline which has gone on ever since in the value of the stock leaves little room for doubt that, railroad expert tho he is, he had been grossly deceived by some one. Such a statement from him was of the greatest possible service to the ring inside who were manipulating the accounts and the operation of the road so as to get all the meat into their own hands, and then sell the lambs in the stock market the skin and bones at porterhouse prices. In support of the price monthly bulletins have been issued from Boston chronicling an increase in the number of stockholders as proof conclusive that the public were buying the stock. Those who swallowed this advertisement as a recommendation of the value of the stock did not stop to reflect that if the public were buying the management must be selling, and if they were selling it was not for philanthropic reasons.

After this glowing tribute from Mr. Adams the stock declined until it is now below 40, and Wall street is actuated by whispers that the examination just made by the Government Examiner shows that the floating debt of the company is not less than $15,000,000, of which $8,000,000 are owed the Government under the Thurman Sinking-Fund law. The examination has, it is said, confirmed all that has been charged about interior frauds and maladministration and about frauds on the Government, and so gross are the offenses of those who have had charge of the property that it has been said that if any prosecutions resulted it would be better for a man to be caught passing counterfeit money than to be proved to have been one of the responsible managers of the Union Pacific.

This road began its career with a fraud of $50,000,000 on the public, which supplied all the means for the construction of the line. This was revealed by the Wilson Crédit-Mobilier investigation, and there is every reason to fear that the financiering ever since has been on the same lines as the Crédit-Mobilier frauds. Thousands of miles of branch lines have been built under contracts made by the managers of the road with their relatives or their other selves in some guise. The money to do this has been taken out of the sums that should have been paid to the Government. Last of all, the morality of the payment of dividends on the stock in order to "boom" quotations on the New York Stock Exchange is sufficiently exposed by the revelation of the enormous floating debt.

In indorsing the management of the road and recommending its stock to the capitalists of the country as a safe investment Mr. Adams appears to have made a mistake that one would hardly have expected from the author of the famous "Erie Essays," exposing the ruinous effect on values of the immorality of Mr. Gould's management of the Erie. Mr. Adams seems to have thought that it was all right for the Union Pacific to remain under the care of Mr. Sidney Dillon and the other financiers of that school. The evidence in the Crédit-Mobilier case shows Mr. Dillon to have taken part from the very beginning in the corrupt construction contracts of the road. Yet Mr. Adams, knowing that, was able to convince himself that property under the management of men who would use such methods would remain property. It is inconceivable how honest and sensible men can put vast trusts in the hands of men they know to have cheated other people and still believe that these offenders will not cheat them.

Mr. Adams has taken the Presidency of the Union Pacific. We are sorry for it. His previous utterances about the concern show how completely he has been deceived once. We do not believe that he knows now the truth about the real condition of the Union Pacific. It has been in hands that warrant the gravest doubts. Mr. Adams is very likely to find that in taking the Presidency now he has stepped into the breach in the nick of time to be made to bear the brunt of some very damaging revelations. He is too good a man to be sacrificed in that way.

UNION PACIFIC is beginning to show at last the effect of the illegal consolidation with it of the Kansas Pacific. The stock of the latter, which cost the consolidators nothing, was put in at the same valuation as the original Union Pacific, and the result was that a good property was so burdened that its dividends have now to be passed. The uncertainty about the real condition of Union Pacific is a capital argument in favor of a uniform system of accounts for all the interState roads in the United States. This is one of the details of that National regulation of the railroads which this Congress has not given us. No one appears to know what are the facts about the finances of the Union Pacific. There has been an examination by the Government Commissioner. This is the official who first proposed to extend the time of the payment of the debt of the roads to the Government fifty years and to reduce the interest from 6 to 3 per cent. The only effect of his examination has been, so far as the public can see, that favored persons have received the first intimations of some very disagreeable facts, and have been able to sell out their stocks to those who had not the privilege of such inside information. Wall street is disturbed by this story and that, but no one except the insiders can get at the truth. If there were a system of uniform accounts, and if publicity were secured so that all stockholders down to the humblest might know just where their property stood, such disgraceful results as are now being worked out in the stock market at the expense of the weaker and more ignorant owners of the Union Pacific would be impossible. It is announced that a dividend is to be omitted and that the sum of $718,514 is to be paid out of the treasury of the company to the United States for money due under the Thurman act. As the amount of this debt is at least $3,000,000, and as the Union Pacific has in its treasury, according to its own statements, not less than $50,000,000 in stocks and bonds, it is not likely that this tardy and incomplete action of the Directors will have any other effect than to make clearer and stronger than before the determination of the public that this corporation must pay up all it owes and do it quickly.

THE attempt which it is understood is to be made to get the consent of the courts to the payment of the protested Wabash paper indorsed by Gould, Humphreys, et al., by the issue of Receivers' certificates which will become a first lien on the property, taking precedence of the bonds, is exciting the angry attention of the Eastern press. The New York *Herald* says:

> That any attempt to convert their claims into Receivers' certificates, and to thus make them a lien upon the property prior to that of the first mortgage, would be an outrage on decency and a fraud on the bondholders, and should render the indorsers and Receivers alike personally responsible. Solon Humphreys, who is one of the Receivers, was held in high esteem before he became so closely identified with Jay Gould, by contact with the latter appears to sully even the cleanest record. Mr. Humphreys was formerly President of the company, and must have thought that he understood its condition, for it was upon the flattering statements he made in 1881 that London and Amsterdam became the unhappy possessors of the preferred stock and the general mortgage bonds.
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> Subsequently, when the concern was threatened with trouble because unearned dividends were being paid out of borrowed money, Mr. Humphreys resigned the Presidency to Gould, but continued to remain in the Board of Directors. Hence, when Mr. Humphreys indorsed the company's paper he must have known the condition of the company, and assumed the risk with his eyes open. Now that he is Gould's chosen Receiver it is natural that he should strive not only to protect his chief, but should also care for himself as an indorser. It is natural that a man should be anxious to relieve himself from a liability for a round half million. Mr. Humphreys' personal interests, therefore, are such as must render the position of Receiver a very trying one, and he should be relieved at once.
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> We understand that no Receivers' certificate can properly take precedence of any lien prior to the claim on which the Receivership is based. Consequently any attempt to issue certificates with a view to making these old indorsements a prior lien could only succeed by misleading the court.

In this last statement is another reason why no one should be appointed Receiver whom the court is not willing to trust in all things as its representative. Whether or not these certificates shall take precedence of the bonds is a question for the courts, and it is the practice of the courts to give their decisions on the facts laid before them, and not to hunt up on their own motion for means to protect the rights of those who do not take the trouble to appear before the court in their own behalf. Large amounts of Wabash bonds are held in Chicago, especially of the Chicago Division bonds. If the holders of those bonds expect the courts to pay any attention to their rights they must present their case in proper form. One thing they may rest assured of: the Receivers will look out only for the wreckers who put them in. That is what they are there for.

NOTWITHSTANDING the declination of Tilden, such papers as the St. Louis *Republican*, the New Orleans *Times-Democrat*, and other desperate Democratic organs are holding on to him with a death-grip. Nothing will satisfy them except his candidacy. Nothing will convince them that he will not run if he is nominated. They are ready to resort to body-snatching, if that be necessary, rather than have any other candidate. In its desperation the New Orleans paper says:

> We fully realize that he is quite sincere; that he shrinks from the hardship and tumult of another campaign. But this is an emergency in which the personal wishes of the individual must give way to the unanimous demand of the whole people. Mr. Tilden must make another sacrifice to the common welfare. We do not think it will be necessary for him to take any active part or to jeopardize his health in the smallest degree. The party will take charge of his campaign, and popular sentiment will give it a force and a volume which no man's campaign ever had before.

Were the occasion less grave than it is, had not Mr. Tilden given his party to understand that he is *in extremis* and desires to devote the remainder of his days to peaceful and undisturbed contemplation of his future state, the attitude of these papers and their fierce determination to take what little there is left of this old man and set it up to be bowled over would be ludicrous. The practical view of the situation is the certainty these papers feel that no other candidate in the list can be elected. Of the probability of Mr. Tilden's election Mr. Tilden is the best judge, and his views on that point are shown by his prompt declination as soon as he heard that Mr. Blaine was nominated. The attitude of these Tilden resurrectionists shows the hopelessness of their case.

ONE of the Massachusetts Pharisees at their recent meeting spoke of himself and his fellows as "officially and technically members of the Republican party," and this phrase has since been repeated by others of the sect approvingly. So far as they characterize themselves as "technically" members the party will find no fault, for that aptly describes them. Theoretically they belong to the party; actually they do not. Technically speaking—that is, superficially—they belong to the Republican party, regarding it as a profession from which they may sever themselves at will and return at will. The technical never involves coherence or allegiance. It never implies cordial and hearty coöperation. Technically speaking, therefore, they belong to the Republican party just as they do to the Democratic party, or to the Greenback party, or to no party at all. We have no objection, therefore, to their calling themselves "technically" Republicans, but when they claim that they are "officially" Republicans it takes on the form of arrogance. They cannot be officially Republicans except by virtue of office or in pursuance of the special powers vested in them. As the Republican party has not given them office nor vested any special powers in them, they should confine the definition of their relations to the "technical." They hold the same place in the party that the Pharisees held among the Jews. They technically belonged to them.

Cleveland a Bogus Reformer.

There is great indignation among the respectable citizens of New York City at Gov. Cleveland's unlooked-for and treacherous veto of several important local reform bills passed by the Republican Legislature. Thousands of men who were extolling the "Democratic reform Governor" last week are bitterly denouncing him now. One of the leading papers of that city thus speaks of his misconduct:

> Gov. Cleveland's failure to approve some of the most important of the reform bills which were passed by the Legislature has caused general surprise and regret among sincere and earnest advocates of good government. It was only by the exercise of great tact, discretion, and sagacity, as well as by persistent energy, that the measures intended to remove serious evils and abuses in our municipal system were carried through the Assembly and the Senate. Leading men in the Democratic Senate used all the means at their command to embarrass and obstruct their progress, but so strong was the public sentiment which had been aroused that their efforts were futile. The press, by unsparing exposures of wrong-doing in the municipal department, set the wave in motion, and the Union League Club meeting, the Cooper Union demonstration, the investigations of the Senate and Assembly committees, the arguments of the Citizens' Committee of Fifty-three swelled the tide of reform to a flood which finally swept all opposition before it in the Legislature. When the reform acts had gone through both Houses the friends in the good cause felt that their work was accomplished. They were confident that the Governor could be depended upon to approve all the measures that were so plainly and so urgently demanded by public interests.
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> While the Legislature remained in session the attitude of Gov. Cleveland in regard to this question of municipal reform was all that could be desired. Since the adjournment there has been a concentration of evil influences to pervert his judgment. And these influences have prevailed. By his adverse action on the Tenure-of-Office bill the Governor has allowed himself to become identified with the most objectionable element in his party. It is not even a faction to which he has stooped to listen. He has yielded to the pressure of a clique in a faction—and that clique the most reckless, the most audacious to be found in the whole Democratic party in New York.

A LARGE force is now at work pushing up the Washington monument to completion. A correspondent says that it is now higher than the Church of St. Peter's at Rome, and before Christmas it will be forty feet nearer the clouds than any known structure. The marble blocks of which it is constructed, which cost about $40 each as they come from the quarries, "rough ashlers," and $90 more when dressed, are brought from the stonecutters' sheds on trucks into the elevator, which occupies the interior of the monument. Each stone weighs about three tons, and the elevator can easily accommodate two of them. "The man at the wheel" consumes seven or eight minutes in hoisting them. On reaching the top, the ashlar, an arm of the derrick, takes hold of each stone, and, by a little guiding, the immense weight is as easily placed in position as if it were a brick. The corner-stones are always set first. The two stonesetters have each four masons working on them and one cement man for the two. These eleven men make up the complement working each day on the top, and who, if seen at all by people below them, look about the size of infants.

THE little self-righteous coterie of New York and Boston Pharisees that got together in the parlors of J. Henry Harper, of 269 Madison avenue, Tuesday, imagined they were the centre of gravity and swung the universe. The coterie consisted chiefly of the said Harper and his brother; Tom Nast, the decayed cartoonist; George W. Curtis—Harpers' editor; Carl Schurz, out of employment, but ready for any chief; an ex-carpet-bag Governor of South Carolina named Chamberlain, and half-a-dozen Boston dudes with an English accent, which passes with them for "culchaw." These set up the heft of the conspirators who propose to overturn and destroy the Republican party for having dared to nominate candidates of its own choice instead of candidates of the coterie's selection. The Harpers and their associates constituted the vertebræ of the "conference"—the same Harper firm who opposed the election of Lincoln so savagely, and who vilified his Administration until the middle of the War. The venom they darted at Lincoln then are now darting at Blaine. Their malignant hostility will avail as little now as then.

THE New York and Boston Pharisees who are training with Curtis pretend to believe that they fear that Blaine would speedily plunge this country into foreign wars, but they have forgotten (and Curtis with them) the certificate of peaceable character which George William Curtis gave Blaine. In announcing the retirements of the ex-Secretary of State from the President Arthur's Cabinet to private life (*Harper's Weekly*, No. 5, 1881) Mr. Curtis expressed confidence in Mr. Blaine by the following reference to the Panama letter:

> The letter is a temperate and dignified document, stating our position with bleeding spots, and resolutely, and decision. It is capitally adapted to meet any such proposition as a joint Resolution of Congress to rate had it been advanced. But whether the proposition was merely a tentative rumor or a design seriously entertained the letter has enabled to arrest it, and it is another illustration of the calm and manly ability with which Mr. Blaine has managed the delicate department confided to him. He has what may be called the American instinct, an essential quality in our Foreign Secretary, yet restrained in his official expression by an equally American tact and good sense.

IN view of the submission of Mr. Tilden to the will of God, and the pushing of Mr. Flower by the potency of sugar, and the retirement of Mr. Hendricks with the old ticket, and the inadequacy of Mr. McDonald, and the location of Thurman and Payne in Ohio, which is a lost State for Democrats this year,

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Mutiny of a Militia Regiment Near Limerick—A Sanguinary Conflict.

Anarchist Troubles in Austria—A Too Enthusiastic Russian Suppressionist.

Patti to Sing in America Next Season and Bernhardt to Stay in Paris.

A MILITARY MEETING.

SERIOUS OUTBREAK OF ARTILLERY MILITIA.

NEW YORK, June 18.—[Special.]—A cable dispatch from Limerick says: The most exciting reports reach this city this evening of a mutiny by the artillery militia on board a vessel lying in the harbor down the River Shannon. For some days past the militiamen, who objected to their quarters on board ship, have exhibited signs of insubordination. They are a rough set, drawn from the lowest classes, and the constraint of discipline and enforced sobriety kept them on the verge of an outbreak. This afternoon, defying all orders, they broke away from their floating barracks in boats, deserting their posts. Flinging aside their arms and cursing their officers they departed with wild shouts and made a landing at the Town of Glin, some miles below Limerick. The place is a small one, not numbering a thousand inhabitants. Immediately they reached the river bank they sprang out with wild yells and advanced 200 strong on the town. The frightened people fled before the ruffians, who, half mob, half battalion, stormed the town, beating the townsmen as they ran, gutting bakers' and provision shops, and stealing whatever of value they could lay their hands on. Returning they centered on the two or three wine and liquor shops of Glin, into which they broke, and whisky, porter, and ale flowed in gallons.

While the militiamen were getting drunk and filling the air with yells the townsmen had gathered back of Glin and had armed themselves with every conceivable weapon, from a shotgun to a pitchfork. The few constabulary were powerless from the beginning. With a grand rush and a great yell the Glinsmen came down on the now maddened militia, and a pitched battle ensued. Heads were smashed on both sides. Citizens were beaten with bottles, belts, chairs, and table-legs. The militiamen—shot, pitchforked, and clubbed—finally broke and ran for the water. They were pursued to the Shannon's edge, and, bleeding, battered, and bruised, made their way on board the vessel they had deserted a couple of hours before. As they came aboard they surrendered to their officers. The pursuit was so hot and the threats from the victorious Glinsmen of burning and sinking the ship were so earnest that the vessel, with the disabled and cowed mutineers, at once put to sea. Glin is full of broken heads and indignation not unmixed with glory.

IRISH AFFAIRS.

O'BRIEN FINED FOR CONTEMPT.

DUBLIN, June 18.—The court fined William O'Brien, the editor of *United Ireland*, £500 for contempt in connection with the action for libel against O'Brien by Bolton. The court fined O'Brien instead of committing him because he is the defendant in two other actions for libel brought by Cornwall, the Post-Office Secretary, and Bolton. Cornwall served writs for libel also upon Parnell, Justin McCarthy, Joseph Kenny, and other owners of *United Ireland*.

EARL SPENCER AT BELFAST.

BELFAST, June 18.—The Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland performed the ceremony of unveiling the Queen's portrait. More decorations were displayed in the streets along which the procession passed than were seen yesterday, but silence was preserved along the whole order. Reaching the town-hall the Lord-Lieutenant was greeted with mingled cheers and groans. In his speech Earl Spencer referred to the troubles of Ireland, and dwelt upon the reviving prospects of the country. He congratulated the citizens of Belfast upon their peaceful character and their adherence to law and order.

At a banquet given in his honor tonight Earl Spencer, referring to the dynamiters, said his object was to liberate Ireland. Some statesmen might fall as others had fallen by the hands of the assassin, but when one fell another would be ready to take his place, showing the British nation was not to be frightened.

A FAST TRIP.

QUEENSTOWN, June 18.—The steamship America made the trip from New York in six days and fourteen hours, beating the best previous record by two hours.

THE ANARCHISTS.

CONFESSION OF A PLOTTER.

VIENNA, June 18.—In the Anarchist trial at Gratz today one of the prisoners confessed that he was implicated in the plot to wreck the imperial train on the Southern Railway in 1883.

WARSAW, June 18.—The *Proletariate* says the police searched the factories of Warsaw, Lodz, and other factory centres, and arrested a great many workmen on the charge of being Anarchists.

THE RUSSIAN SECTION.

BERLIN, June 18.—It is stated in Berlin that Russia has decided to appoint a special military council, to be presided over by the Grand Duke Nicholas, heir-apparent to the throne, who recently became of age, to take measures to prevent the spread of Socialism in the Russian army, but that the Grand Duke proposed such rigorous measures that even the Chief of Police deprecated the adoption thereof.

A SECRET PRESS.

MOSCOW, June 18.—A secret lithograph-press has been discovered in Moscow in full operation.

WRECKED BY AN EXPLOSIVE.

MADRID, June 18.—The public are alarmed by an explosion in a house in the Calle Sevilla, caused by a bomb placed inside the doorway. The door was blown out and the windows shattered. Nobody was injured.

THE STAGE.

PATTI.

LONDON, June 18.—Patti has signed an agreement with Col. Mapleson to sing in America next season. She is to receive $4,000 for each concert and all expenses. She receives $8,000 down and $15,000 in October. The agreement, moreover, calls for a security of $50,000 before she signs.

BERNHARDT.

PARIS, June 18.—Mayer has leased the Porte St. Martin Theatre and engaged Sarah Bernhardt for seven years.

LORD SACKVILLE

WORSTED IN A QUARREL WITH THE PEOPLE.

NEW YORK, June 18.—[Special.]—A cable dispatch from London says Lord Sackville has been at war for a long time past with his neighbors over the question of the public right of way through Knole Park, which is his property. Last week he had iron gates placed across the road that runs through the grounds, and which has been used by the public for generations. This evening a mob, headed by the local magistrates, uprooted the gates and piled them up in a heap before the doors of Lord Sackville's mansion. The inmates were thus imprisoned, and the mob remained until late in the night taunting the cooped-up aristocrats. The affair has caused a great excitement.

THE CONSERVATIVES.

A DEMONSTRATION AT AYLESBURY.

LONDON, June 18.—At an important Conservative demonstration at Aylesbury today, Lord Randolph Churchill said: "The Government's policy in Egypt is throughout a tale of shame. The English Ministry is the direct cause of misery and bloodshed among an inoffensive people whom it is our mission to protect and civilize. Gladstone ought to have fostered Arabi Pasha's patriotic movement instead of destroying Alexandria and killing 10,000 Egyptians. After the battle of Tel-el-Kebir England's power in Egypt was greater as her responsibilities were greater, but Gladstone's only thought was how to abandon Egypt. His wavering policy is answerable for the disgrace and bloodshed from the defeat of Hicks Pasha to the fall of Berber. The Radical herd in the House of Commons obediently swallowed despotism, anarchy, military expeditions, massacres, decorations, rewards, honors, titles, and pensions, but the day of reckoning rapidly approaches, perhaps months or weeks, possibly only days, will pass before then; yet Gladstone selects such a moment to propose the restoration of French control, British evacuation, and the advance of £8,000,000 of the British taxpayers' money. Such proposals are fatal. They are ruinous to our interests, finance, honor, and renown. The Minister's imbecility is without parallel in ancient or modern times."

Churchill was no advocate of fresh annexation, which meant increased armaments and taxation. The maintenance of the British Empire depends upon a just and righteous policy, not the sword. England, however, had virtually annexed Egypt. He then said: "A fresh Government cannot undo the annexation; it must render it more complete and effectual. The motto must be: 'Egypt for Egyptians,' which a prolonged British occupation will best effect, with the consent of Europe."

THE SPURGEON JUBILEE.

HONORING THE NOTED LONDON PREACHER.

LONDON, June 18.—The jubilee in honor of the 50th birthday of the Rev. Charles H. Spurgeon was given at Holborn Tabernacle tonight. The building was crowded, over 5,000 persons being present. Two Christian Nestorians from Persia were present. Mr. Spurgeon and various members of the Spurgeon family were grouped on the platform and were greeted with prolonged cheering and waving of handkerchiefs. The applause continued several minutes after the opening hymns were sung. The people then united in prayer, after which Mr. Spurgeon addressed the meeting. He spoke at some length and with great feeling, almost moving the audience to tears. He thanked his hearers in the warmest terms for their cordial reception. He said: "Our American friends are generally very cute judges. I read often their opinions of me. They have repeatedly asserted that Spurgeon is no orator. We have scores of better preachers in America, but it is evident Spurgeon preaches the gospel and very celebrated men do not." Spurgeon continued in his characteristic style to urge preachers to preach more simply and plainly the pure Gospel of the grace of God. The dry, dead gospel of some preachers never evoked the sympathy of men's hearts.

Moody then spoke. The assemblage rose in a body, waving handkerchiefs amidst unbounded enthusiasm. Moody said he believed he would never have come to England if it had not been for Mr. Spurgeon. Twenty-five years ago, when he was converted, he read everything obtainable that Spurgeon said or wrote. He came across the Atlantic in 1867 and took a seat in the gallery of the Tabernacle. He would like to take that seat back to America. [Laughter.] When he returned to America he tried to preach himself [laughter], but in 1872 returned to England to try to learn a little more from Spurgeon, and he never entered the Tabernacle without obtaining a blessing.

A list of fourteen congratulations from associations at home and abroad was next read. Among them were those from the Philadelphia Baptist Conference, the Canadian Branch Pastors' College, and Mr. Spurgeon's father and two brothers.

GERMANY.

THE PRUSSIAN COUNCIL OF STATE.

BERLIN, June 18.—The *Official Gazette* publishes the royal decree appointing the Crown Prince President and Bismarck Vice-President of the new Prussian Council of State. The seventy-one new members of this body include forty-two State officials, three members of the learned professions, six clergymen, ten landholders, and six from the commercial classes.

IMPORT DUTIES.

The Liberal *National Correspondence* states that the leaders of the Centre are preparing a bill raising the import duties on grain.

BISMARCK.

Bismarck has invited the members of the Chamber of Deputies to lunch Friday instead of giving an evening reception, his physicians having forbidden him to hold the usual soirée.

BELGIUM

THE SENATE DISSOLVED.

BRUSSELS, June 18.—As has been expected since the Liberal defeat in the election of members to the Chamer of Deputies, the Senate, which was Liberal, has been dissolved, and an election for Senators has been appointed for July 8. Both Houses of Parliament are summoned to meet July 22.

THE NEW MINISTRY.

The program of the new Ministry includes a revision of the school law of 1879, which deprived primary public schools of the supervision of the clergy, and commercial reforms, giving communes the right to nominate their own Aldermen, and aiming at the increased electoral power of rural communes.

BULGARIA.

ELECTION RIOTS.

SOFIA, June 18.—The Bulgarian elections resulted largely in the success of the Liberals and Radicals. Riots prevented the election taking place at Vratza, Widdin, and two other towns. At the first place mentioned the riot was especially serious. One man was killed and many injured.

CABLE NOTES.

Crown-Princess Victor of Sweden is again the mother of a son.

The French Senate has ratified the international convention for protecting submarine cables.

At the Sheldonian Theatre in Oxford yesterday the students cheered the Queen, the Marquis of Salisbury, and Lord Churchill, and groaned loudly at the mention of the names of Gladstone, Bradlaugh, and Henry George.

In the Commons Thursday Arthur Arnold, member for Salford, will make an inquiry concerning the alleged abduction of an Englishman named Sheldon by outlaws in Kansas, for whose ransom $1,400 was demanded, and, in the event of that sum not being forthcoming, was to be put to death.

The Governor of Berber had in his possession £80,000 of Government money. It is rumored the Governor was neither wounded nor taken prisoner. Rebels have captured the Town of Ghia, near the Abyssinian frontier. They also captured six guns, 300 of the garrison, and 700 camels.

THE FAR WEST.

Two Men Burned and a Theatre Destroyed at Leadville—Four Fishermen Drowned.

LEADVILLE, Colo., June 18.—[Special.]—About 2 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the Zoo Theatre, a three-story brick building on State street, and spread with such rapidity that the whole building, with three or four frame houses, was destroyed before the flames could be controlled. During the conflagration two firemen, named J. W. Mallory and Charles Sawyer, were caught by a falling wall. Sawyer was with difficulty rescued from his perilous position after being badly burned, and he will probably die. Mallory perished in the ruins, and his charred body was found about 8 o'clock this morning. A miner named McCune was also caught by falling walls and burned to death. His body was recovered about noon today. The building originally cost about $40,000. The total loss is about $75,000, with little or no insurance. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 18.—[Special.]—T. F. Oakes, Vice-President of the Northern Pacific Railroad, arrived this morning from a tour of inspection on Puget Sound and starts East today. The first train that ever passed over the section of road between Tacoma and Seattle conveyed Mr. Oakes and a party of railroad magnates to the latter place yesterday. An immense crowd of citizens at Seattle awaited the arrival of the distinguished guests and a salute was fired in honor of the first train arriving.

A special from Astoria, Ore., states that four men engaged in salmon-fishing were drowned near Columbia River and swept out by the tide to the open sea and lost. The loss of life by drowning among fishermen this season has been very heavy. The season is not much more than half over, and it is estimated that between thirty and forty have been carried out to sea and perished. Many have been lost and no report ever made of the accident.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 18.—The Directors of the North-End Comstock Mines have decided to put Mexican down to the 3,000 level and stop work for a time on the others. J. W. Mackay says it is not a shut-down, but simply a concentration of work on one point. Although the stocks are weaker in consequence, the majority of the stockholders apparently approve of the decision.

FINANCIAL.

Probability that Carhart, Whitford & Co., of New York, Will Continue in Business.

Unsavory Developments in Connection with the Broken Banks at Washington.

Strong, the Green Bay Banker, Writes Another Letter.

Carhart, Whitford & Co., of New York

NEW YORK, June 18.—[Special.]—The suspension of Carhart, Whitford & Co., clothing merchants at Broadway and Canal street, was the absorbing topic of interest in commercial circles today. The surviving members of the firm, Edmund H. Carhart, William H. Whitford, and John B. Van Wagener, made a general assignment today, without preference, to Mr. Nathaniel Whitman, of the firm of Lesher, Whitman & Co., importers of tailors' trimmings, etc., at Nos. 502 and 504 Broadway, who took charge of the estate at once. The business will probably be kept running, as it is too valuable and extensive to let go down. It is thought the firm will get an extension or make a compromise with their creditors and continue. The immediate cause of the suspension was the conditions in the will of the late Thomas F. Carhart regarding the special capital which he left in the business. By the terms of Mr. Carhart's will his interest of $30,000 was to remain in the firm as special capital for five years from January, 1883, provided the same partners who has constituted the house while he lived and with whom he had been associated should continue in the new firm. Mr. A. T. Hamilton was one of these partners, and when he died, April 30, that dissolved the partnership. He left no will. The other partners could not go on and bind his estate by making paper and raising money in that way. They began negotiating for a partner to take the place of Mr. Hamilton. A gentleman was ready to go in and the arrangements were about completed. The lawyer who was the attorney for the late Mr. Carhart and also for his estate was asked to draw up the necessary papers, and he informed them that they could not form a new partnership with the estate of Mr. Carhart for the special capital, as Mr. Carhart's will had distinctly provided that the same partners must continue. Of course Mr. Hamilton's death broke the contract. This was made known to the firm last Monday, and they had to suspend. The amount of the firm's paper now outstanding is said to be about $325,000 to $350,000. The statement for Jan. 1 showed liabilities of $1,100,000 and nominal assets of $1,800,000.

The failure, owing to intimate relations with Carhart, Whitford & Co., of Best & Co., who carried on the Lilliputian Bazar at Nos. 40 and 42 West Twenty-third street, was announced today. John B. Van Wagener, of Carhart, Whitford & Co., was a special partner for $15,000. The firm made a specialty of children's clothing, and a large part of the goods were furnished them by Carhart, Whitford & Co., who are the principal creditors. The stock on hand is said to be of the nominal value of $150,000 to $160,000. The amount of the liabilities is not definitly known, but is said to be nearly as large. Their capital was about $80,000.

The suspension of the large clothing firm of Carhart, Whitford & Co., of New York, particulars of which appeared in yesterday's TRIBUNE, was a big surprise to the clothing merchants of Chicago. The firm had been established over thirty years, and had a widespread reputation as one of the most unquestionably solid and respectable business houses in the country. They did a large wholesale business, amounting to between $1,500,000 and $2,000,000 a year, which, with their extensive retail trade made a total business averaging over $3,000,000 per annum. They were backers of large retail stores in New Orleans, Galveston, Rochester, Indianapolis, and many other large cities, and had special retail agents in every city of any prominence in the Union. Messrs. Harvey, of this city, have been their exclusive agents here for the last two years. Formerly the old firm of A. J. Nutting & Co. had the agency. Messrs. Harvey received dispatches from New York yesterday which convinced them that the suspension would be only temporary—that they would probably resume within ten days. No matter how the affairs of the firm may be settled, it is certain that no one in Chicago can suffer, either directly or indirectly. The suspension is attributed to the depression in the clothing trade for the last two or three years. The death of one of the parties a few weeks ago probably determined the firm to suspend rather than suffer any further losses. Clothing men who have been acquainted with the firm for many years say that the business was conducted in a most conservative manner, and none of the firm's capital was ever used for any purpose outside the legitimate business of the house.

The Bank Failures at Washington Worse than Anticipated.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—The local bank failures here are worse than had been anticipated. The filing of a bill for an injunction against the private banking-house of Squiers & Co. has resulted in the disclosure of some peculiar facts. When the writ was served yesterday a meeting of creditors was being held at the bank, and Judge Edmunds, a District Commissioner, was endeavoring to explain to the creditors that a small safe in the office was his private property, which he had stored there because he had not room for it at his house. This circumstance, together with many others, has given rise to the rumor that Judge Edmunds is a partner in this enterprise. The Cashier is reported to have said that the small safe contains army and navy vouchers. Judge Edmunds denies that he has any connection with the firm. Squiers' business consisted almost exclusively in loaning money to clerks and army and navy officers at excessive rates of interest.

Some extraordinary disclosures are being made as to the Middleton failure. The *Evening Star* has the following:

One of the latest developments of the way in which their customers were plundered is shown in the case of James H. McKenney, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States. Mr. McKenney had been the close friend from boyhood of D. W. Middleton Jr., and succeeded Mr. Middleton Sr. as Clerk of the court, and his confidence was therefore unbounded in Middleton Jr. His deposits in securities and money with the firm amounted to the large sum of $61,000, every dollar of which is lost. They not only took his money in the general default, but cut open the envelopes in which he had placed his securities, such as bonds and stocks, for safe-keeping, and sold them. Mr. McKenney has nothing but the plundered envelopes to show for the savings of a lifetime, though part of this amount belonged to the court. In another instance $10,000 in trust bonds have disappeared in the whirlpool. There is still another aggravated case. They had a power of attorney from a man of means absent from the city to attend to his business here, and had the key to his safe. On hearing of their failure this gentleman hurried to the city to look after his own securities. He found that every one had been sold. His safe was sent in to Middleton bank. Gen. Frank Morey, of Louisiana, one of the committee of creditors, loses about $19,000.

Another Letter from Strong, of Green Bay, Wis.

GREEN BAY, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—Another letter is received from Henry Strong, the President of the suspended bank. He says he began speculating in 1878, losing $15,000 or $20,000 on wheat. In 1879 he went in deeper in hopes of making up what he lost, but parted with about $30,000. In 1880 he went short on wheat and lost $50,000. In 1881 some $15,000 more went. He adds:

The names of the principal parties with whom I dealt I will give you on a separate slip of paper. You are at liberty to show it to any one who is interested. In addition to my losses on wheat, port, and stocks, I borrowed money from the bank to pay interest on bad notes, taxes, and interest, etc., on loans made to me. Within the last five years this has amounted to a pretty heavy sum, probably from $40,000 to $50,000. The money borrowed from the bank was absolutely and hopelessly sunk in the vortex of speculation. I have taken no money away with me except a small necessary amount to cover traveling expenses for a short time. It is needless to tell you how deeply I deplore the fatal folly that first led me into the paths of speculation.

Assignment by a Wholesale Liquor House of Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 18.—[Special.]—The assignment of John Callaghan & Co., wholesale liquor-dealers, caused a business sensation at a late hour this afternoon. The firm was composed of John Callaghan and J. C. Bartlett, both of whom assign their individual property to satisfy the claims of their creditors. Although the firm is involved to the extent of $100,000, the assignment will not amount to much, for it was made more for the purpose of securing time than for any other reason. The firm is worth double the amount of the liabilities, but their assets are tied up in such a way that they cannot realize upon them. The principal creditors are the First and Second National Banks, the German Security Bank, and the Falls City Bank, which hold about $80,000 worth of the firm's warehouse receipts, more than doubly securing them against any loss. The balance of the claims—some $20,000—are small debts, scattered in various localities. "The cause of the trouble," said Mr. Callaghan, "is the closeness of the banking institutions here in advancing money upon our warehouse receipts. The banks here now hold all our warehouse receipts; and, although they are worth between 40 and 50 cents, they will not advance upon them more than 22 or 25 cents. So you see they take $2 of our money and give us in return but $1. The warehouse receipts belonging to us and now held by the banks are worth just double what has been advanced upon them, but still we can't get a cent more, and of course to protect all our creditors alike we made the assignment. As soon as business brightens up we will be all right and go right along as though nothing had ever occurred." Mr. Callaghan is interested in the Belle of Marion Distillery, at Lebanon, Ky., and the Kentucky Club Distillery, at Owensboro, Ky., and his interest in both these establishments has been assigned along with his other property.

The New York Banks.

NEW YORK, June 18.—[Special.]—Unusually large drafts on some of the banks in this city have caused some comment in Wall street during the last two or three days. President O. D. Baldwin, of the Fourth National Bank, said that the heavy drain on the banks was due to large demands on the part of railroads and coal corporations to pay their employés. He thought it probable that this drain would cause a greater decrease in deposits in the bank statement for the present week than appeared in last week's statement. Mr. Baldwin expressed the belief that the New York banks were in a condition to stand a rigid official examination at any time.

Failures and Other Business Complications.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—Receiver Sanborn denies the report that the Manufacturers' Bank will settle with creditors on a basis of 50 cents on the dollar. Those in the confidence of the owners of the bank assert that all obligations will be paid dollar for dollar.

The boot and shoe house on Grand avenue owned by Mrs. Sarah Terry and managed by Charles E. Adams assigned today. The liabilities will not be known till a thorough examination can be made. The assets are stated at $5,500.

THE WEATHER.

Signal Service.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, D. C., June 19—1 a. m.—Indications: For the Upper Lake region, light local rains, partly cloudy weather, no change of temperature, light, variable winds, generally south to west.

For the Upper Mississippi Valley, local showers, followed by fair weather, light, variable winds, stationary temperature.

For the Missouri Valley, fair weather, no change of temperature, and light, variable winds.

CHICAGO, June 18—10:18 p. m.—The following observations are taken at the same moment of time at the stations named:

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS.

Place of Observation.	Weather Right of Ins.	Thermometer.	Direction of Wind.	Velocity of Wind.	State of Weather.	Rain-fall in Inches.
Mid. Atlantic States—						
Albany	29.95	74	W.	...	Clear.	0
Eastern Gulf States—						
Vicksburg	30.00	79	E.	...	Clear.	0
Western Gulf States—						
El Paso	29.98	68	E.	...	Clear.	0
Fort Smith	29.92	72	...	...	Clear.	0
Galveston	29.98	81	S.	...	Clear.	.12
New Orleans	30.00	78	S.	...	Clear.	0
Shreveport, La	29.96	78	E.	...	Fair.	.24
Ohio Valley & Tenn.						
Cincinnati	30.04	73	...	...	Clear.	0
Indianapolis	30.02	70	...	...	Clear.	0
Louisville	30.02	75	...	...	Clear.	0
Memphis	30.00	78	...	...	Fair.	0
Nashville	30.01	75	N. W.	...	Clear.	0
Pittsburg	29.98	74	N. W.	...	Clear.	0
Lower Lake Region—						
Buffalo	30.00	69	S. W.	...	Clear.	0
Cleveland	30.02	72	W.	...	Clear.	0
Detroit	30.02	70	...	...	Cloudy.	0
Erie	30.00	70	W.	...	Clear.	0
Oswego	29.96	69	...	...	Clear.	0
Port Huron	30.02	67	W.	...	Clear.	0
Rochester, N. Y.	29.99	69	W.	...	Clear.	0
Toledo	30.02	72	W.	...	Clear.	0
Toronto	30.00	74	...	...	Th'n'g.	0
Upper Lake Region—						
Alpena	29.97	67	W.	...	Fair.	.25
Chicago	30.00	70	E.	...	Clear.	0
Duluth	29.90	71	...	...	Clear.	0
Escanaba	29.93	71	...	...	Fair.	0
Grand Haven	30.00	70	W.	...	Fair.	0
Marquette	30.00	58	...	...	Clear.	0
Milwaukee	30.01	68	...	...	Clear.	1.05
Mackinaw	29.98	69	W.	...	Foggy.	0
Upper Miss. Valley—						
Salem	30.05	77	S. W.	...	Clear.	0
Davenport	30.03	72	E.	...	In rain.	.10
Des Moines	30.02	76	...	...	Cloudy.	.03
Dubuque	30.01	72	W.	...	Clear.	0
La Crosse	29.97	69	W.	...	Clear.	.04
Moorhead	30.01	62	...	...	Clear.	0
St. Paul	30.00	72	E.	...	Th'n'g.	0
Springfield, Ill.	30.00	77	...	...	Th'n'g.	.05
Missouri Valley—					Fair.	0
Leavenworth	29.99	74	N. W.	...	Clear.	0
Omaha	29.99	74	N. W.	...	Clear.	0
Yankton	30.01	73	N. W.	...	Clear.	0
Extreme Northwest—						
Manitoba	30.05	58	N.	...	Clear.	0
Fort Buford	30.00	71	...	...	Clear.	0
St. Vincent, Minn.	29.98	69	W.	...	Clear.	0
Northern Slope—						
Cheyenne	30.00	48	S.	...	Clear.	0
Deadwood	30.03	69	S.	...	Clear.	0
Fort Custer	30.00	70	E.	...	Clear.	0
Middle Slope—						
Denver	30.01	62	...	...	Fair.	0
Dodge City	29.97	70	S. W.	...	Clear.	.05
North Platte	30.01	72	E.	...	Clear.	0
Canadian Stations—						
Battleford	29.95	74	...	...	Clear.	0
Fort Garry	29.90	72	N. W.	...	Clear.	0
Fort Arthur's Land'g	29.91	68	...	...	Hazy	0
Kingston	29.92	69	S. W.	...	Cloudy.	0
Medicine Hat	29.93	70	S. W.	...	Clear.	0
Parry Sound, Can.	29.90	64	S. W.	...	Cloudy.	0
Quappelle	29.94	69	...	...	Clear.	0
Swift Current	29.92	68	N. W.	...	Clear.	0
Minnedosa	29.92	70	...	...	Clear.	0
Saugeen, Can.	29.90	64	...	...	Cloudy.	.02
Toronto	29.90	66	N. W.	...	Clear.	.05
Other Points—						
Elliott	30.00	71	...	...	Clear.	0
Helena	29.97	74	S. W.	...	Clear.	0
Huron, Dak.	30.00	70	S. W.	...	Clear.	.12
Las Animas	29.96	69	W.	...	Fair.	.15
Little Rock	30.01	73	N. W.	...	Clear.	.37
Salt Lake	29.90	61	N. W.	...	Clear.	0
Stockton	30.01	55	N. W.	...	Pt. rain.	.21

*Too small to measure. †Thunder-storm.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Hu	Wind.	Vel.	Rain	Weather
6:18 a. m.	30.152	72.6	88	S. W.	5	.....	Fair.
10:35 a. m.	30.048	79.0	62	S. W.	7	.....	Fair.
2:35 p. m.	29.970	83.0	49	W.	14	.....	Fair.
6:18 p. m.	30.000	80.6	54	N. W.	7	.24	Rain
10:18 p. m.	29.964	69.6	88	S. E.	3	.20	Clear.

*Too small to measure. †Thunder-storm.
Maximum temperature, 83.0.
Minimum temperature, 66.0.
Mean daily barometer, 30.047.
Mean daily thermometer, 73.1.
Mean daily humidity, 74.

LOST AT SEA.

The Brig G. P. Sherwood Goes to the Bottom—Nine Lives Lost.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 18.—[Special.]—The brig G. P. Sherwood, of St. John, N. B., arrived at this port May 2 from Barbados with a cargo of sugar. As the West India trade was dull it was thought advisable to send her with a cargo of 600 tons of anthracite coal, valued at $2,400, to Halifax, N. S. While the Sherwood was lying here Mrs. Taylor, the wife of the captain, came on from St. John and decided to go home on the vessel. June 6 the vessel sailed, having on board ten persons all told, consisting of Capt. Robert D. Taylor, his wife and brother, Daniel Taylor, first mate Dorson Stevens, a second mate name unknown, Steward George Gittliffe (colored), seamen Nicholas McMillan and Joseph Nicholson, the latter living at 189 Huntingdon, Philadelphia, and two other seamen names unknown. No tidings were heard of her until today, when the mate, Dorson Stevens, arrived at New York on the Spanish bark Rafael, and reported that the Sherwood foundered at sea the night of June 14, and all were lost except himself, who took to a boat and was picked up the next day by the bark Rafael. The Sherwood was a double-decked brig, of 400 tons register, and was built at Rockland, N. B., in 1870.

DESPERATE FIGHT WITH INDIANS.

DALLAS, Tex., June 18.—Information was received today of a recent fight with Indians in the extreme northwest corner of Texas ten days ago. D. W. Staples, of Dallas, W. W. Hartsell, and a man named Hicks started from Palo Pinto County, Texas, for Washington Territory on horseback. When about a week out, and while near the northern boundary of the Panhandle, the party were surprised by seven hostile Indians. A fusillade followed, the whites seeking shelter in the timber. The battle continued several hours. Hicks fell dead at the first volley. Staples heroically continued firing for an hour with a mortal wound in his abdomen, and finally expired. Five of the Indians were killed and the others, badly wounded, fled, leaving Hartsell the sole survivor.

A BIG STRIKE.

EAST TAWAS, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—All the lumber-mills at Oscoda and Sable shut down today on account of strikers, who demand last year's wages and ten hours as a day's work; also to be paid every Saturday.

RAILROADS.

Significance of Adams' Accession to the Presidency of the Union Pacific.

Increase in East-Bound Shipments — Northwestern Traffic—The Burlington Earnings.

Resignation of Sidney Dillon as President of the Union Pacific—Charles Francis Adams Succeeds Him.

NEW YORK, June 18.—[Special.]—The Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad held an important meeting in this city today. The following-named gentlemen attended: President Sidney Dillon, Vice-President Elisha Atkins, F. L. Ames, Charles Francis Adams Jr., Ezra H. Baker, Jay Gould, F. Gordon Dexter, David Dows, Andrew H. Green, James A. Rumrill, and Government-Directors Colgate, Hoyt, Edmund L. Jay, Frank Colpetzer, Halsey L. Merriman, and David H. Anthony. President Dillon's resignation was tendered in the following form:

GENTLEMEN: I beg leave to tender my resignation as President of this company, to take effect forthwith. Ten years' active labor in the company's service as President, and ten years' previous service as a Director, have not diminished my faith in its property nor my zeal for its well being. They have witnessed the completion of its enterprise, its great contribution to the National advancement, the return of large revenues to its shareholders, and the solid establishment of its business and resources. With these has come to me their counterpart in waning years, and need for the relinquishment of my most active cares. Bereavement has given to both these accelerated force. Still holding and proposing to retain my pecuniary interest, I am glad to continue in your council. At the same time I must ask you henceforth to relieve me of their execution. Very respectfully,

SIDNEY DILLON.

The resignation was accepted, and the board adopted a series of complimentary resolutions, as follows:

Resolved, That the considerations presented by Mr. Dillon in his letter resigning the Presidency of this company are such as this board may not decline to entertain.

Resolved, That the connection of Mr. Dillon with this company for more than twenty years presents one continuous record of integrity, wisdom, energy, and devotion, crowned with results that insured the completion of its enterprise and of lasting advantage to its property and business.

Resolved, That this board, in accepting Mr. Dillon's resignation, begs to assure him of the company's gratitude and personal esteem, and of a continuing desire for his presence in its councils, and his personal interest in its welfare.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mr. Dillon.

Mr. Charles Francis Adams Jr., of Boston, was then elected to fill Mr. Dillon's place.

The Directors unanimously voted that in lieu of declaring the regular dividend payable July 1, the sum of $718,814 be paid from moneys now in the treasury to the United States to meet the demand of the Secretary of the Interior for payments under the Thurman act for the year ending Dec. 31, 1883.

The meeting is said to have been a very harmonious one. Mr. Dillon was asked whether it was true, as currently rumored, that his resignation was the result of differences between himself and Messrs. Gould, Ames, and other stockholders. He said:

"There is no truth in any such stories. My resignation is of my own volition. There is not a discord between Messrs. Gould, and Ames, and myself in any form. We all agree as to the policy of this company. I say that emphatically."

Mr. Dillon said further that during the twenty years that he had been actively connected with the road he had neglected his private business, and since he became President he had worked very hard. He was now 73 years old, and felt the need of rest. Furthermore the office had been removed to Boston, and he felt it proper that an Eastern man should hold the office of President, as under no circumstances would he go to Boston to live. He would remain a Director and a member of the Executive Committee. Mr. Dillon said he did not propose to slacken his energy so far as his efforts could help to bring the road back to its former prestige. As soon as he gets his business affairs in shape he will go to Europe for a month or two. The Union Pacific transfer and fiscal office will remain in New York.

Mr. Colrate Hoyt, a Government Director of the road, said:

"In my opinion the change is a wise one. Mr. Adams is a conservative man, and has wide experience. The $718,814.60 was voted under protest; for, while the Government claims in round numbers $2,000,000 from the road, the company claims in back dues from the Government about $4,000,000, and the matter is still in dispute. I am under the impression that no further changes are contemplated; but of course the executive office will be removed to Boston."

The change in the management made no especial impression in Wall street. The Union Pacific stock rose a point, to 39, and then went down to 38¼, at which it turn it closed. Mr. Adams' election is generally interpreted as meaning that all the road's Government indebtedness will be paid off before declaring any more dividends. As President, it is not believed that Mr. Charles Francis Adams Jr. will make any radical change in the policy of the road. Mr. Gould and his friends, who have practically controlled the affairs of the road, were in favor of Mr. Adams' election as President.

In a brief talk after today's meeting Mr. Adams said that he intended to try and manage the road in the interests of the stockholders. He believed in the property, and thought that all it needed was "a certain turn of the wheel to bring everything out straight." He did not see any reason why there should be talk of the road going into the hands of a Receiver. Mr. Adams declared he did not go to Washington to object to the publication of the report of the Government's expert accountant regarding the Union Pacific's affairs.

Preparing for the Advance in East-Bound Freight Rates.

The advance in east-bound freight rates, to take effect June 24, has had a stimulating effect on shipments, nearly all the roads reporting an increase in business. Business is expected to continue quite heavy until the advanced rates go into effect, shippers being anxious to take advantage of the present low rates, and the opinion prevails that a strong effort will be made by the roads to maintain the new rates when they have gone into effect. As far as can be learned no heavy contracts are being made at the present rates, and Joint-Agent Moore thinks all the business contracted for at the present rates will be disposed of one week after the new rates have gone into effect. Mr. Moore has again commenced to equalize the percentages of the various roads, and has given orders to divert business from the roads "over" to the roads "short." If the railroads maintain the new rates rail shipments will, of course, decrease, as the lake lines will again be enabled to compete, and will take away a large proportion of the business. The railroads say they prefer to carry less business at profitable rates.

Commissioner Fink has just issued the following circular in regard to the billing of

THE CHICAGO DEMOCRACY.

Proceedings of the Four District Conventions—Delegates Who Will Go to Peoria.

The Machine Men and Mackin Win on the South Side—The Kickers Will Hold Another Convention.

W. T. Dowdall Working Up Harrison's Record—Questions to Be Put to the Cook County Democracy.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTIONS.
THE MACHINE WINS IN THE FIRST DISTRICT.

The Palmer House club-room, where the convention was to be held, was early occupied by a dozen Pinkerton men in uniform. The anti-machine men denounced this as an outrage, for they were informed that the officers had been instructed to admit none but machine delegates. A few minutes before 11 o'clock, the hour for convening, the officers stationed themselves at the entrance to the club-room and barred out all who were not recognized as friends of the men who had hired them, but two or three anti-machine delegates had already gone inside, among them M. A. Driscoll, of the Second Ward. A big crowd gathered about the entrance and indulged in loud talk about "star-chamber proceedings," "gag rule," and the "rights of free-born American citizens." The excitement grew momentarily greater, and at length a rush was made to overpower the Pinkerton doorkeepers. The latter forced the crowd back, and an effort was made to close the iron doors. But Driscoll, with no little nerve for so small a man, surrounded by enemies, grabbed hold of one of the doors, pulled it open, and defied resistance. An officer raised a club to strike him, but dropped it and let Driscoll have his way. The latter then began calling off the names of the anti-machine delegates and they were admitted.

Rensselaer Stone, Chairman of the Congressional Committee, called the convention to order, and A. F. Green was made Chairman. It was announced that there was a contest in the First Ward, Ald. Whelan presenting a lot of affidavits.

The Chair appointed a Committee on Credentials consisting of Charles Kolsenberg, of Lake; Judge L. B. Otis, of the Second Ward; John Miles, of Hyde Park; John Conley, of Palos; and H. P. Robinson, of Worth. Otis resigned in favor of S. R. Keogh and the convention then, at 12:15, took a recess to give the Committee on Credentials time to do its work.

The committee heard a lot of witnesses and when the convention reassembled reported in favor of the machine delegates throughout. The report was adopted—23 to 5—and the anti-machine delegates left.

The State delegates chosen were as follows:

First Ward—M. J. Wentworth, Thomas J. McNally, James McCausland, William Fitzgerald, Benjamin M. Shaffner, John K. Prindiville, George P. Everhart, Joseph Frankel, and Lycurgus Ladin.

Second Ward—James T. Appleton, Ike Abrahamson, Moses Barnett, Michael Kenney, William Fallen, Charles Kolsenberg, D. P. Davy, Maurice Monarty, J. B. Mullory, E. E. Brown, Thomas Byrne, and Thomas Gahan.

Hyde Park—A. W. Green, J. R. Hodson, James Lawless, T. A. E. Holcomb, Thomas Hagan, and A. E. Barker.

Lemont—William Skelly and Peter Gentleman.

Lyons—Otis Graves.

Calumet—William Harry.

Thornton—William McGunnigle.

Palos—John Conley.

It is the general opinion that the delegation will favor the selection of Joe Mackin and Rensselaer Stone to represent the First District in the State Convention, but Billy Seipp may beat Stone in the race. The delegation, it is also likely, will work against Harrison as delegate-at-large because of the aid he gave the kickers in the "First."

THE SECOND DISTRICT.

The Second District Convention met at Westphal's Hall yesterday forenoon, P. J. O'Hara, Chairman of the District Committee, calling the gathering to order. He called upon J. J. Curran to act as Temporary Chairman.

The delegates to the District Convention were reelected as delegates to the State Convention. The delegates are as follows:

Fifth Ward—Charles Klutsch, T. C. Hickey, John Lang, Robert Sullivan, Michael O'Connor, James T. Mahon, John O'Shea, Jeremiah O'Leary, Charles Hillock, James McKenna, C. Kramer, Michael Crotty, Peter Flaherty, Edward P. Burke, John A. Uhrig, George F. Foster, Martin Mulcahy, Henry F. Middendorf, John Sheehan, Cornelius Sheehey, John Dwyer.

Sixth Ward—E. P. Cullerton, John Nolan, Herman Hagerman, James Dooley, Patrick McCabe, Richard Grant, John O'Connor, Edward Cassidy, William Dolman, Charles Monear, F. M. Diamond, John Long, James Donohue, Martin Ward.

Seventh Ward—J. H. Hildreth, Daniel McCarthy, Joseph Lee, Morgan Murphy, R. F. Buckley, J. J. Curran, Frank Bins, M. Riordan, D. Foley, James Crowe, F. J. Walsh, Nick Simons, John Lawless, John O'Brien, Ralph Johnson, R. T. Strickland.

Eighth Ward—Frank Lawler, T. F. Hamill, James A. Taylor, James Doran, Henry Heusman, Red Sheridan, Frank Wenter, Dan Sullivan, E. F. Kelly, E. J. O'Hayer, P. J. Howard.

Ald. Hildreth then moved that the District Convention adjourn and that the delegates to the State Convention be called to order. He said that an Elector and two delegates and two alternates to the National Convention were to be elected, and his idea was to have these matters settled at once for the reason that there was a more room there than could be found in Peoria. The motion was opposed by Ald. Lawler.

At this point Ald. Hildreth called attention to the fact that the action of the convention was becoming irregular, as there had as yet been no permanent organization, and the temporary organization was made permanent.

After some little wirepulling the convention adjourned, to meet at once as delegates to the State Convention, the same organization being maintained. James T. Healey was chosen unanimously as Presidential Elector, and Ald. Frank Lawler was elected as State Central Committeeman, and Ald. E. F. Cullerton and J. H. Hildreth were elected delegates to the National Convention by acclamation, H. A. Hagerman and L. W. Kadlec being chosen as alternates.

John O'Shea was elected a member of the State Committee to select the delegates-at-large to the National Convention.

THE THIRD DISTRICT.

The delegates to the Third District Convention were slow in getting together, it being an hour behind time when Chairman Van Pelt called the convention to order and nominated M. C. Clancy, of the Twelfth Ward, as Temporary Chairman. For Temporary Secretary the numerous Ryans got mixed, and while the muddle was being cleared up Timothy E. Ryan cut the matter short by taking possession of the Secretary's table, before a vote was had.

The following delegates to the Peoria Convention were then selected:

First Ward—J. R. Ryan, D. Donovan, M. J. O'Malley, John Curry, M. J. Cagney, John Wallace, D. Daley, Dennis Ryan, H. Sugrue.

Ninth Ward—Michael R. Leyden, Alex. Montieth, John Brady, Thomas Dolan, Charles Wesley, Frank McIntyre, James McCormick, Patrick O'Malley.

Tenth Ward—Thomas Martin, James McHale, Jerry Murvihill, Frank Riley, Thomas Grace, M. Cw. Clancy, John Hill.

Eleventh Ward—James H. Ward, John Connell, Amberace Andree, John Hartnell Jr., Charles Conelly, George H. Thehley, M. C. McDonald.

Twelfth Ward—William J. McGarigle, Peter Clinton, John J. Dunphy, John F. J. Hackett, John E. Van Pelt, William J. Gallagher, M. C. Clancy.

Thirteenth Ward—William H. Gallagher, M. M. Hayes, J. J. Baker, M. J. Daley, P. Ryan, Dennis Considine, John F. Scanlon.

Fourteenth Ward—M. Ryan, Theo. M. Dugan, J. Fitzsimmons, William Harley, John A. Orb, Adam Ochs, Frank Ochs, Herman Sigmund, Michael Whalen, B. Bierski, Bryan Donelly, Gustav Kuntze, S. J. Mellin, Henry Donohue, John Lonergan.

The convention adjourned after a speech by the Chairman pledging the support of the district delegation to Harrison for Governor, and congratulating them upon the harmony prevailing at the primaries and at the convention.

THE FOURTH DISTRICT.

The Fourth Congressional District Convention was called to order in Brand's Hall at noon yesterday by Sam Chase. C. P. Kimball was elected Chairman and L. M. Ennis Secretary.

The following delegates to the State Convention were elected:

Fifteenth Ward—George Kersten, Peter Ebertshauser, Peter Junz, Eugene Prage, A. J. Brachvogel, Harry Rubens, S. B. Chase, Adam M. Sedlin, Johan Beck, William Nichol, Jr.

Sixteenth Ward—John H. Colvin, Herman Lieb, William Vogt, Frank W. Walker, Barney Brachtenbreit, Henry Hosmer, Jacob Bittig, Louis Griesheimer.

Seventeenth Ward—John Sweeney, P. H. Tierney, M. J. O'Hara, John Dowdall, John F. O'Malley, William Sterling, Daniel R. O'Brien, James Rogers, Thomas McCormick, Thomas Leddy.

Eighteenth Ward—P. A. Hoffman Jr., M. J. Corcoran, M. Wasserman, C. F. Kimball, William Devine, Lambert Tree, F. H. Winston, P. Brand, Frank Agnew, Egbert Jamieson, John H. Crawford.

Second Commissioners District—B. F. Webber, Edmund Furthman, J. M. Brown, Frank R. Scelye, Michael Moran, Adam Harrer.

Third—Ira Barchard, Charles Sigwalt.

Fourth—Clayton E. Crafts, John McKenna.

Mr. F. H. Winston offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the unanimous choice of the voters of the Fourth Congressional District of Illinois for the nomination of Governor is the Hon. Carter H. Harrison, of Cook County, and that our delegates this day elected are instructed to join with the general voice of the party in the State in making that nomination by acclamation at the convention to which they are accredited.

The convention then adjourned.

The delegation met at once and organized temporarily by electing Sam Chase Chairman and Egbert Jamieson Secretary. The only thing done was to appoint a committee to secure transportation.

The delegation are all in favor of Harry Rubens for one of the district delegates to the National Convention. If Mr. William C. Goudy is selected as one of the delegates-at-large, Mr. F. H. Winston will be the other district delegate; if not, Mr. Goudy will be chosen.

QUESTIONS FOR HARRISON.
WHICH W. T. DOWDALL WILL SUBMIT TO THE PEORIA CONVENTION.

Editor Dowdall, of Peoria, has been in Chicago for several days past on a mission said to be undertaken in behalf of the State Democracy, which wants a man of "unassailable integrity" for its Gubernatorial candidate. Needless to say, from the Peoria point of view this man is not Mayor Carter H. Harrison, and it was whispered about yesterday that Mr. Dowdall will return with a whole cart-load of ammunition to be discharged through his paper in the form of categorical questions aimed straight at the Cook County Democracy. Failure to answer these questions will, it is claimed, convince the rural Democrats that Harrison is too vulnerable a candidate, growing out of his record as Mayor, and could not withstand the attacks of the Republican press when the campaign gets under way. As the matter now stands the whole business is purely a Democratic family affair, but is not without interest to Republicans.

OBERLY STARTED IT.

The idea of raking over the Mayor's record was originally suggested, it is said, by Chairman John Oberly, of the State Central Committee, when Morrison's Tariff bill was beaten in the House. This had been no sooner done than Morrison's friends in Illinois received letters from him bitterly denouncing Harrison as one of the cabal that had conspired to beat the bill, and urging that Cook County be brought to put a tuberculosis candidate. Black fell in with the idea and went down to see Chairman Oberly about it. He also approved, as did Dowdall, and the first move was agreed to be made upon Cook County, where Mr. Mackin promised that two Congressional districts could be secured for Harrison. The Mayor, however, got wind of the moves of his enemies, and checkmated them at several points, so that Black's boom for Governor went into a temporary eclipse. When the movement was first started, however, Oberly began to collect the evidence, declaring that he would publish it in his Bloomington paper, whatever the outcome might be. Several letters were written to Chicago outlining his policy. He didn't carry out his intentions, however, and Editor Dowdall is said to have become disgusted with the delay, and therefore decided to publish the whole matter himself. Wherefore he came up to Chicago and is still on the ground. It was perhaps a coincidence that ex-Senator McDonald, of Indiana, has been in the city for a week on legal business, and that Gen. Black came up from Danville and spent most of his time with Dowdall and McDonald. The Indiana ex-Senator's position is said to be merely passive, to let his friends know that if Harrison tries to control them he will be ready to receive their support for either the Presidency or the second place. It is not settled that Gen. Black will again enter the Gubernatorial lists, but he is against Harrison with all that means.

DOWDALL'S INVESTIGATIONS.

Editor Dowdall's investigations are said to have covered the municipal history of Chicago for the last five years, with special reference to the measures which have been before the Council in relation to the rich and powerful corporations. Some chapters in the history of the Western Indiana will, it is said, be given out in connection with other railroad legislation it is promised that a scene after the Mayor vetoed the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy ordinance allowing the road to lay a track to the Driving Park will be photographed. Among the leading figures are said to be one of the Burlington attorneys and two high city officials who made charges of broken promises and ended with threats. Editor Dowdall has also spent some time at the Stock-Yards, and it is reported will revive the old and worthless story told some years ago in reference to a check for $80,000, photographic copies of which are said still to exist in evidence. This goes back to the time when the rendering companies were fighting all attempts to abate their nuisance. A more recent instance is said to be in connection with the last municipal fight, when a strong Stock-Yards interest was thrown for Harrison, because, it is reported, of the friendly way the Administration had acted towards Treasurer Dave Gage's bondsmen.

STREET-RAILWAY MATTERS.

Another lead which Editor Dowdall has been following is that of the street-car companies. Nothing definit has been given out yet, but the output is reported to be a rich one. An illustration of the Peoria editor's bulldog persistence is apparent from the way he got an interview with a street-railway official who was never in during office hours and never at home after business hours. The editor went out to the street-railway magnate's house early in the morning and sat on the front doorstep until he emerged.

Other bolts being forged are said to be in reference to the Mayor's seeming toleration of the gamblers, and it is even hinted that the gamblers' subscription list of $17,500 in the municipal campaign of 1883 will be produced by Joe Mackin, though whenever the allegations which have been current for a year have been repeated in Mr. Mackin's presence he has denied that he had some facts which would be given out cold to the world if it were not for his friend McDonald.

It is not assumed that Editor Dowdall expects to produce proof of all these things. All he expects is said to be a moral conviction of the inexpediency of Harrison's selection as the standard-bearer of a pure Democracy. It is said he will have what he considers evidence to show that the Mayor practically admits the truth of many of the charges by hysterical demands made for weeks past that the powder mine be exploded and the like. It is further said that the Peoria bombshell will contain the statements of persons to whom the Mayor is alleged to have made admissions that in a political campaign one took money without asking whether it came from brothels, gamblers, or corporations.

APPEAL TO THE COOK COUNTY DEMOCRACY.

It is understood Editor Dowdall will group his wealth of material together and address it specially to the Cook County Democrats to know whether this is the kind of a man they present to their rural brethren as the strongest candidate who can be nominated. He will justify his own course by claiming that he has been actuated solely by his desire to save the Democrats from the humiliation of explaining these charges, which will assuredly be made by the Republican papers.

Among the few local Democrats who knew what was going on yesterday great curiosity was expressed to see what stand Harrison would take. After reviewing the work of the Cook County Conventions it was agreed that Mr. Boyce will not have things his own way in Chicago, and if Dowdall's attack pans out well he may be with certainty laid out for delegate-at-large.

THE ANTI-MACHINE MEN.
THEY PROPOSE TO HOLD A CONVENTION OF THEIR OWN.

As the Whelan faction was leaving the club-room where the First District Convention met, to avoid being ejected, a number of them announced that they would hold a convention of their own, and some were in favor of holding it at once. But after a brief consultation in the rotunda it was thought best to wait and issue a call—not for new primaries, but for a convention of the delegates who had been refused seats. "You see," said Whelan, "we were too much excited to go into a convention alone after losing our seats, but we will hold one, and will publish a lone call in the papers explaining the situation. We had no expectation of winning today, with the entire machine working against us. The fight will be carried to Peoria, though, and I want to show the political tramp (Mackin) that the 'Fat Boy of the First' (Whelan) has got something of a pull here."

NATIONAL CATHOLIC UNION.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 18.—The tenth annual session of the National Catholic Union began today. Archbishop Gibbons celebrated high mass and preached at St. Peter's Church, where an address was delivered by the Rev. Dr. John S. Foley. This afternoon the union was called to order in Ford's Opera-House, the Rev. Mr. Mitchell in the chair. Several reports from societies were presented.

AT WASHINGTON.

Provisions of the Utah Bill Passed by the Senate Yesterday.

The Measures for the Regulation of the Pacific Railroads Discussed.

Frauds in the Navy Department—Fitz John Porter—George Bliss' Story.

THE UTAH BILL.
PASSED BY THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—The Utah bill has finally passed the Senate by a vote of 33 to 15. The affirmative vote was Republican, with the exception that the following Democrats also voted aye: Beck, Colquitt, Fair, Garland, Jackson, Jones of Florida, Pugh, Voorhees, and McPherson. The negative vote was wholly Democratic. The bill was amended in the following particulars: Mr. Vest offered an amendment to the first section providing that husbands or wives shall not be permitted to testify to any confidential statement or communication made to each other during the existence of the marriage relation. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. McPherson, Sec. 10, which deprives illegitimate children from inheriting property from their fathers or to receive any distributive share in their estates, was amended so as not to apply to children born before the passage of the act.

Sec. 12 was amended so as to make the Trustees who are to look after the Mormon Church in the interest of the United States give bond, the amount of which shall be fixed by the Secretary of the Interior.

A new section was agreed upon, incorporating the New York Dower law in the bill.

PROVISIONS OF THE BILL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—The Utah bill as passed by the Senate provides that a lawful husband or wife may be compelled to testify in a prosecution for bigamy, polygamy, or unlawful cohabitation. In such prosecutions an attachment for the witness may be issued without previous subpœna, when it shall appear to the Judge that the witness would unlawfully fail to obey the subpœna. Bail may be accepted for the appearance of such witness, and in any case he or she shall not be held longer than ten days. Prosecutions may be commenced within five years after the commission of the offense. Every marriage ceremony in any Territory of the United States shall be certified in writing, which writing shall state the full names of all persons taking part in the ceremony and shall be signed by them, and shall by the officer or priest solemnizing the marriage be filed with and recorded in the Probate Court. Such certificate shall be prima facie evidence of the facts stated. Any violation of this provision is punished by a fine of not more than $1,000 or imprisonment not more than two years, or by both. Every such certificate and record shall be at all reasonable times open to the inspection of officers of justice of the United States, under like penalty for refusal to exhibit the inspection.

Women shall not be entitled to vote in Utah. All the measures of the Territorial Legislature providing for the numbering or identifying of the votes of electors are disapproved and annulled, but this provision is not to preclude the lawful registration of votes or any other provisions for securing a fair election that do not involve the disclosure of the person for whom the elector voted. The Probate Court is deprived of all jurisdiction except as to the estates of deceased persons and the guardianship of the person and property of infants and lunatics. All laws of the Territory of Utah conferring the rights of inheritance on illegitimate children are annulled. The Territorial laws providing that prosecution for adultery can only be commenced on complaint of the husband or wife are annulled, and all such prosecutions may hereafter be instituted in the same way that prosecutions for other crimes are.

The Territorial laws incorporating, continuing, or providing for the corporation known as "the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter-Day Saints" and the ordinance of the so-called General Assembly of the State of Deseret incorporating each church are annulled so far as they may preclude the appointment of Trustees by the United States.

The President of the United States, with the advice of the Senate, shall appoint fourteen Trustees for said corporation, who shall have the powers of Trustees and Assistant Trustees provided for in the ordinance reported, for the term of two years, and shall each give bond in an amount to be fixed by the Secretary of the Interior.

The General Assembly of Utah shall not have power to change the laws respecting corporations without the approval of Congress. In all prosecutions for the enforcement against corporations or associations holding property in any Territory in excess of the amount limited by law the courts shall have power to compel summarily the production of all books and accounts belonging to any Trustee or manager of property in which such corporation may have any right, title, or interest. All the laws of Utah relating to a perpetual emigrating fund company are annulled, and it is rendered unlawful for the Legislature of the Territory to create or recognize any corporation or association having for its object the bringing of persons into the Territory for any purpose whatever. The Attorney-General is directed to institute in the Supreme Court of the Territory proceedings to dissolve the company named and dispose of its property and assets according to law. Such property and assets in excess of the debts and lawful claims established by the court shall escheat to the United States and shall be used by the Secretary of the Interior, under direction of the President, for the benefit of the common schools of the Territory.

All existing election districts in the Territory are abolished, and it is made the duty of the Governor, the Territorial Secretary, and the United States Judges of the Territory to redistrict the Territory so as to secure equal representation of the people. No persons but properly-qualified citizens of the United States are entitled to vote in the Territory. The bill declares vacant the office of Territorial superintendent of district schools and vests the power of appointment of such official in the Supreme Court. It provides the penalty for the crime of adultery to be imprisonment in the penitentiary for not exceeding three years. The right of dower of widows is secured by provisions similar to the Dower law of the State of New York. The bill now goes to the House.

THE RAILROADS.
RIVAL BILLS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—The House today had under consideration the bills relating to the payment of the sinking fund by the Pacific railroads. There are two bills reported by the majority and minority of the Pacific Railroads Committee respectively. The majority bill, known as the Thompson bill, provides for the extension of the provisions of the Thurman act to the Kansas Pacific, Sioux City & Pacific, and Central Branch of the Union Pacific Railroads, and that the percentage of net earnings to be paid into the Treasury to be increased from 25 to 35 per cent. The minority, or Post bill, declares that the Thurman act is a dead letter as no one can ascertain the net earnings of the roads, and proposes that the Secretary ascertain the exact indebtedness of the various roads to date, divide the amount into 120 portions, for each of which the companies shall give bonds bearing interest at 3 per cent and payable semi-annually until all are paid, thus giving the roads sixty years in which to liquidate their indebtedness. Should the roads refuse to accede to this proposition then they shall be compelled to pay an additional 10 per cent of their net earnings.

DEBATE ON THE THURMAN AMENDMENT BILL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—The House refused to consider the Ohio and Mississippi contested election cases, and proceeded to the consideration of the Pacific Railroad bill, known as the Thurman Amendment bill. It extends the provisions of the Thurman act to the Kansas Pacific, Sioux City & Pacific, and the Central Branch of the Union Pacific. It allows the investment of the sinking funds of all companies in their own first mortgage bonds, or any United States bonds or securities, or their application to the extinguishment of the interest on the subsidy bonds; it requires one-half of the annual compensation for Government service to be carried to the sinking fund and also the annual payment into the sinking fund of the following sums: The Central Pacific Company and the Union Pacific Company, $3,000,000 each; Kansas Pacific Company, $500,000; Central Branch, Union Pacific, $100,000; Sioux City & Pacific Company, $150,000, or as much of such sums as will make the total annual payment to the sinking fund equal to 35 per cent of the net earnings of the respective companies. In case the residue of net earnings is insufficient to pay the interest on the first-mortgage bonds the amount necessary for that purpose may be remitted. The companies are required to pay into their sinking funds on or before Jan. 1, 1885, the following sums "less amounts due them for Government service": Central and Union Pacific, each $500,000; Kansas Pacific, $200,000; Sioux City & Central Branch, Union Pacific, $500,000 each. It forbids the payment of dividends while the companies are in default in respect to these requirements. The sinking funds are to be applied, "under Sec. 8," to the payment of subsidy bonds at maturity, and "under Sec. 99" for the protection and benefit of the first-mortgage bondholders. The twelfth section declares that failure on the part of any of the companies to comply with these requirements for six months shall operate as a forfeiture of the franchise.

The substitute offered by the minority of the Pacific Railroad Committee provides for the extinguishment of the debt due the Government by the issue by the companies of sixty-years' redemption bonds.

Speeches were made by Messrs. Throckmorton, Thompson, Post, Jordan, Cassidy, and Hewitt of New York. The latter said he would move to recommit the bill with instructions directing the Secretary of the Treasury to report the first Monday in December a plan by which the act of May 7, 1878, should be enlarged by additional payments to be made by the railroad companies, so that the debt to the United States (principal and interest) should certainly be paid at maturity or at the expiration of any extension the Secretary might deem necessary to be made. What he asked was that the House should do with these companies what every business-man would do with a debtor short of means—nurse the debtor and give him an opportunity to pay his debt instead of crushing him.

The discussion was continued by Messrs. Anderson, Laird, Belford, and Sumner of California.

Mr. Thompson (having charge of the majority bill) offered an amendment making the aggregate payment required of the companies 55 per cent instead of 35. The previous question was ordered and the House took a recess until 10 tomorrow.

THE UNION PACIFIC.

The Senate Judiciary Committee has adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, This committee will postpone until the first Monday of December, 1884, its further consideration of matters arising under the act of May 9, 1878, relating to the Union Pacific Railway Company, etc., if the said company shall immediately carry out the offer of Mr. Adams as stated in his communication dated June 16, 1884, addressed to the Hon. George F. Hoar, and on the express understanding that this action of the company and the United States in receiving the money and security in said communications mentioned shall have no effect on any penalty or forfeiture or other liability of the United States incurred or arising, or to occur or arise, against said company or any of its officers, but that all rights, penalties, and forfeitures shall stand as if these acts had not been done.

The main points of the Adams proposition are that the company shall immediately pay to the United States Treasury $718,000, the amount claimed by the Government under the Thurman act for 1883, and that all earnings for Government transportation shall be retained by the Government, and that no dividends shall be paid during the current year. All other matters in dispute are left for adjudication.

The report of the Government experts on the Union Pacific is in brief as follows:

Statement No. 1 shows the earnings and expenses of the entire system, including the lines owned, leased, and operated from Jan. 1 to May 31, 1884. Gross earnings, $9,222,765; operating expenses, $6,184,803; surplus, $3,037,872.

Statement No. 2 shows the revenue and expenditures of the entire system for the same period. Gross earnings, $9,222,765; operating expenses and all fixed charges, $9,952,180—deficit, $729,414.

Statement No. 3 shows the financial condition of the company May 31, 1884, from which it will be seen that the gross floating debt amounts to $11,400,099, made up of the following items: Bills payable, $6,836,494; accounts payable, $1,442,107; pay-rolls and vouchers, $2,462,821; dividends unpaid, $1,143,125; coupons unpaid, $398,992; called bonds, $116,000.

The company has certain available assets which should be deducted from this amount, as follows: Cash on hand, $840,377; sinking fund in hands of trustees (cash), $116,000; bills and accounts receivable, $3,038,262; company stock held by and made owned by the company, $2,074,064; total $6,068,703, leaving a net floating debt of $5,331,395. The item of fuel, material, and stores on hand—$2,622,777—is not regarded as an available offset by the experts.

Statement No. 4 shows the earnings, bonded debt, and interest of the branch lines operated by and in the interest of the company for the year ending Dec. 31, 1883. Total earnings, $8,758,452; expenses, including taxes, $6,315,630; surplus, $2,442,821; bonds outstanding, $40,883,000; annual interest, $2,510,950; bonds owned by Union Pacific Company, $23,615,730; annual interest to Union Pacific, $1,585,791; bonds owned by other, $17,267,269.

Statement No. 5 shows the revenue and expenditures of the road proper, 1,620 miles, for the three months ending March 31, 1884. Gross earnings, including income from investments, $3,475,181; operating expenses and taxes and all fixed charges, $4,047,980; deficit, $572,795.

Statement No. 6 shows the earnings and expenses and accrued interest on the funded debt of the branch lines compared with 1883 for the three months ending March 31. The interest on the bonds exceeds the surplus earnings for 1884 by $347,826, while for 1883 it was only $2,564.

Statement No. 7 is a comparative statement of the earnings and expenses of the entire system for the four months ending April 30, 1883, 1883, and 1884. The comparison between 1884 and 1883 shows a decrease in the surplus earnings of $1,320,000. Between 1884 and 1883 shows a decrease of $1,843,613; 1883 was the year of largest receipts in the history of the company.

Statement No. 8 shows the investments in detail in bonds and stocks of other companies, advances to other companies payable in bonds and stocks, and miscellaneous investments, amounting in the aggregate to $44,068,062.

Statement No. 9 shows company's stocks and bonds owned by the company amounting to $2,074,064.

FITZ JOHN PORTER.
HIS CASE WITH THE EXECUTIVE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—There was a post-mortem on the Fitz John Porter case in the Senate today. Mr. Conger raised the point that the language in the bill was not sufficiently explicit to prevent the payment of back pay. Others denied this, and whether the bill is explicit or not the deed is done, and the bill goes to the President for approval or rejection. Mr. Porter's friends are extremely confident that the bill will be approved. No one claims to have any knowledge from the President as to his purposes. There are lawyers who maintain that notwithstanding supposed careful guarding of this law once Fitz John Porter is placed upon the retired list he will have a right to demand from the Court of Claims his back pay.

CHARGED WITH FRAUD.
THE TROUBLE IN THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—The reports as to the frauds discovered in the Navy Department have been exaggerated as to the extent and amount, but that fraudulent vouchers have been approved and money obtained upon them is true. A warrant making this charge has been sworn out by Secretary Chandler. It charges Frank W. Sanborn, Edwin C. Kirkwood, and Daniel Carrigan with conspiracy in entering into an arrangement, combination, and conspiracy to defraud the Navy Department by obtaining and aiding to obtain the payment of a certain false and fraudulent claim which was in the words and figures following:

[Form 64.]
Navy Department, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.
To F. W. Sanborn, Dr.
To 45 doz. bottle-stops at $4.50 ..... $193
To 6 test-cases at $21.50 129
(Delivered to Naval Laboratory for issue to hospital)
To 200 feet rubber-lined linen hose at $1.10 220
To 4 fire-extinguishers at $46 184
(Delivered to Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass.)
Total $823

Kirkwood, one of the defendants, gave bail today.

Secretary Chandler says: "We have no reason to believe that there is a system of fraud throughout the department or anything of the sort, but we will investigate thoroughly. The voucher is not in the department, and we do not know much about it, except we find there is no record of the supplies ever having been received. Wetmore, who has been mentioned in the matter, is ready to turn State's evidence, I believe. I understand that Carrigan also returned to Washington to volunteer to turn State's evidence, but the proposition was rejected and he has disappeared. Concerning the outside parties implicated by the papers, I can only say that a number of names have been mentioned by the detectives, but the evidence in no case justifies us in making them public."

The fraud was discovered in this way: A prolonged examination of the records of the Navy and Treasury Departments and a comparison between them showed that in this case a voucher for $846 had been filed in the Treasury Department, while no corresponding record can be found in the Navy Department. This apparently constitutes prima facie evidence that the payment of that amount was made without the supplies being received. The authorities have so far discovered only one fraudulent voucher. The reports as to supposed frauds of $50,000 rest thus far only on detective stories. Dr. Gunnell, Chief of the Bureau, who has only just taken charge, naturally declines to talk upon the subject, as the fraud discovered was committed under the administration of his predecessor, Dr. Wales. There are apprehensions that frauds may be extensive.

THE STAR-ROUTE INQUIRY.
INTERESTING READING.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—The testimony of Mr. George Bliss will make very interesting reading for his associate counsel, for the famous star-route defendants and their counsel, and for the general public who never had any confidence in the success of the star-route prosecutions. It will be of less interest to Attorney-General Brewster and to Mr. Ker. The latter, in private conversation, goes so far as to characterize Mr. Bliss, since his testimony, as a "blank Ishmaelite, who says everything that I said was a lie, even when I was corroborated by the records. But Mr. Bliss is, perhaps, to be forgiven for that because he did not know anything about the record." Mr. Bliss' story puts him once more in the attitude of a very shifty man who is able to take advantage of all his opportunities, and who is not to be easily put down. He notified the committee today, the members and partisanship of which he arraigned, that he was "loaded," as they would find if they sat down upon him. Republicans will be now more willing to admit than ever before that Mr. Brewster's theory of employing two Democratic lawyers and one Republican to prosecute the star-route conspirators was not a very great manifestation of political wisdom. None of the star-route conspirators are in the penitentiary. Yet the star-route counsel seem to think respectively that their associates ought to be there.

GEORGE BLISS' TESTIMONY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—George Bliss was today before the Springer committee, investigating the expenditures of the star-route trials. He denied Ker's statement that he was not sincere in the prosecution; he never proposed or desired that Dorsey should escape; President Garfield never intimated any desire to protect Dorsey; when Dorsey went to see him one night, the President said he would never see him unless he came during the daytime, as the public came. To the question whether he had received advice or solicitation that favors should be extended to any of the defendants Mr. Bliss replied in the negative.

"From any one who had ever been connected with Garfield intimately or socially?" asked Van Alstyne.

"No, sir."

"Ask him squarely if he ever received any from Blaine," interposed Milliken.

"No, sir," replied Bliss, "and I will say to you that I have not conversed with Blaine since I went into the star-route cases. I have not communicated with him directly or indirectly, and neither he nor anybody else ever approached me on that subject."

Witness continued: "I never dreamed of being accused of trying to protect Dorsey until Ker, in connection with Brewster Cameron, trotted it out."

"There's no truth in that," interposed Ker.

"This committee couldn't do a better thing than investigate Brewster Cameron in the jury-bribery case," witnessed continued, "that case in which you and Brewster Cameron are involved. I don't know that any Democrats were wrongly involved." Bliss continued, "The names mentioned were Brewster Cameron, Ker, Dickson, and a man named Falis, some kind of a lawyer here. I don't implicate anybody. I have no reason to believe that Mr. Ker was connected with it."

"You know my name was not mentioned with it," said Ker warmly.

Witness continued. "I don't make charges against this committee, but it is the general understanding outside that you are going for the Republicans and not for the Democrats."

The committee decided to adjourn until tomorrow, when Bliss will continue. Before adjournment, however, Ker asked the privilege of making a statement relative to the jury-bribery case. He said: "This is the first time I ever knew my name was used in connection with any attempt to bribe a jury. I was in Merrick's office and Brewster Cameron came in and said he had been asked to go and talk with Dickson. He wanted to know if it would be proper for him to go. Both Merrick and myself advised him to go, thinking perhaps Dickson wanted to give him something that would be of interest to the Government in these cases. Cameron went but did not see Dickson. He never had an interview with him. Brewster Cameron is a high-toned gentleman—I'm proud of his friendship. I was not aware he and Col. Bliss were on bad terms."

NOTES OF THE SESSION.
THE SHIPPING BILL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—Members of the Conference Committee on the Shipping bill say that the prospects are that an agreement will be reached during the present session on the Shipping bill whereby material benefits will accrue to the commerce of the country. The House conferees say that the original intention of the House was to pass a bill which should go as far as possible towards securing relief without incorporating anything in the bill likely to excite antagonism from either party in either House. The logical inference is, therefore, that the bill will be agreed to by the Conference Committee without the freeship or the foreign-mail-pay clauses. This, it is believed, will be done at the meeting which will, in all probability, be held this week.

ADJUSTING DIRECT TAXES.

Secretary Folger has sent to the House, with his approval, an opinion given by Controller Lawrence as to the equitable method of adjusting the matter of payments for direct taxes by a part of the States. He recommends that the sums paid by any of the States be refunded to those States, and that those which have heretofore failed to pay be relieved from the obligation.. In cases where property has been sold by the Government to meet these taxes, that the sums realized at such sales be refunded to the former owners of the property. The Secretary adds a similar recommendation in regard to the partial distribution of the surplus revenue under the act of 1836. This money was to remain with the States subject to call. The Secretary recommends that the sums heretofore paid to the States under this act be formally passed to their possession, and that those States which did not receive the sums to which they were entitled upon the passage of that act be now paid to them.

THE MEXICAN TREATY.

It is now probable that the reciprocity treaty with Mexico will soon go into effect. The bill has been favorably reported from the House committee, and there is no disposition as yet manifested in the House to oppose it.

THE PRESIDENT.

The President and Secretary of War left New York at daybreak this morning on the United States ship Dispatch for Washington. They expect to reach this city early Friday morning.

THE ENGLISH INVESTIGATION.

The English investigation was continued today and many witnesses examined without developing anything more than surmise testimony. Mrs. Weller and her daughter continued Representative Weller's statement concerning the telegram to meet them at the train. The Hon. William H. English was present, but asked that his examination be postponed until after Messrs. Horr and Kasson had testified.

Adjourned.

THE RECORD.
SENATE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—In the Senate, after the reading of the journal, which contained an allusion to the Fitz John Porter bill, the Chair stated that no further action on that bill was necessary than to have the action announced to the Senate.

A debate ensued as to whether the provision relating to back pay secured the object in view, which was ended by the Chair laying before the Senate a message of the House of Representatives announcing the concurrence of that body in the report of the Conference Committee, which recommended that the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the same. [This action takes the Porter bill back to the House of Representatives as finally passed, so far as the action of Congress is concerned.]

The consideration of the Utah bill was then resumed.

Mr. Hoar offered an amendment to strike out the clause abolishing woman suffrage in Utah. Rejected—17 yeas, 34 nays. Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Blair, Bowen, Brown, Conger, Cullom, Dawes, Dolph, George, Hoar, Lapham, Manderson, Mitchell, Palmer, Pike, Sherman, Vance, and Wilson, Md. Brown explained his vote by saying he was personally altogether opposed to woman suffrage, but regarding it as entirely a local matter, and as it had been established in the Territory, he would vote against the United States Government interfering with it. The bill then passed—33 yeas, 15 nays—as follows:

YEAS.

Allison,	Fryé,	Manderson,
Beck,	Garland,	Miller (Cal.)
Bowen,	Harrison,	Mitchell,
Cameron (Wis.),	Ingalls,	Morrill,
Colquitt,	Jackson,	Palmer,
Conger,	Jones (Fla.),	Pike,
Cullom,	Jones (Nev.),	Pugh,

EDUCATIONAL.

A Class of Young Ladies Graduated at Wheaton College—Wisconsin University Commencement.

President Arthur, Gov. Abbett, and Justice Harlan Made Doctors of Laws by Princeton.

Prosperous Condition of Cornell—A Gift from P. T. Barnum—A New Normal College.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES—DEGREES CONFERRED.

MADISON, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The forty-first annual commencement exercises of the University of Wisconsin occurred today. The weather was rainy, but the large Assembly Chamber was filled to repletion with a fine audience, representing all portions of the State. There were eighteen orations by an equal number of young men and young women. Bachelorie degrees were conferred on sixty-nine in the academic departments and on twenty-four from the law school. Several master degrees were conferred on both male and female candidates, as the result of special examinations, and the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred on Prof. Joseph Ficklin, Ph. D., University of Missouri, and upon Henry H. Morgan, A. M., Superintendent of Public Schools of St. Louis, Mo.; that of Doctor of Philosophy on Emery McClintock of Milwaukee; that of Bachelor of Laws on D. F. Simpson of Waupun. The Lewis prize for best commencement oration was won by Fred J. Turner, of Portage. Judge Hand, of Racine, graduated from the State University in 1859, and in the following year Prof. J. B. Parkinson, now a member of the faculty, received his degree. Among the graduates this year are Miss Libbie Hand and Mr. Marshall Parkinson. It is interesting to note that Miss Hand and young Mr. Parkinson are the first graduates of the university whose parents can call this institution their Alma Mater.

THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

This evening the Alumni Association chose Bishop Samuel Fallows, of Chicago, as orator, and Fanny West Williams, of Milwaukee, as poet for the annual alumni exercises next year. Judge L. R. Larson, of Eau Claire, was chosen President of the association for the ensuing year, and F. J. Conover, of Madison, Secretary. The alumni reception took place at the State House tonight, with which the exercises of commencement week closed.

MEETING OF THE REGENTS—THE BASCOM CHARGES.

The Board of University Regents met this afternoon. The charges against President Bascom, made by Regent E. W. Keyes were referred to a special committee consisting of Regents Bingham, Hitt, and Koepper, to report at a special session of the board Sept. 3. Prof. F. W. Sterne, the President of Whitewater Normal School, was chosen to fill the chair of the Science and Art of Teaching. Fred J. Turner, of Portage, was chosen a tutor in elocution for the next college year.

PRINCETON.

CLOSE OF THE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

PRINCETON, N. J., June 18.—[Special.]—The commencement exercises closed today with graduation ceremonies held in the First Presbyterian Church. Dr. McCosh presided. The Latin salutatory was delivered by A. G. Reeves, of New Jersey; the English salutatory by R. K. Prentiss, of New York; the philosophical and classical oration by Henry Bell Gayley, of Maryland. A number of honorary orations and theses were delivered by members of the graduating class. The President made some remarks with regard to the condition of the colleges, and the Master's oration was delivered by David A. Haynes of New York, class of '81. The Lynde debate prizes were taken by R. K. Prentiss of New York and Claud M. Thomas and John M. Berian of Kentucky. The MacLean prize was awarded to Clarence W. Macilvaine of Vermont; the four junior orator prizes to Grant R. Bennett of Wisconsin, Duncan Edwards of New York, E. P. Wilder of New Jersey, S. H. Leeper of Pennsylvania. The Princeton outlook warrants preparation for a freshman class of unusual size. The applicants will begin their examinations tomorrow. The graduating class numbered 131.

DOCTORS OF LAWS.

President Arthur has been present during two days of the commencement and the degree of LL.D. was conferred upon him, likewise upon Gov. Abbett of New Jersey and Justice Harlan of the United States Supreme Court.

CORNELL.

JUDGE FORAKER ELECTED A TRUSTEE OF THE UNIVERSITY.

ITHACA, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—The alumni of Cornell University elected Judge Foraker this afternoon as the alumni Trustee of the institution for the next five years. The association met this morning at 10 o'clock in Library Hall, there being present over 100 alumni, representing every class ever graduated from Cornell. Judge Foraker called the meeting to order, after which the proxies were brought into the hall and tellers appointed to count the vote.

The usual order of business was then suspended to listen to the report of Trustee James F. Gluck in regard to the condition of the university, which the association had requested him to present at this meeting. The report occupied two hours in delivery. Mr. Gluck thought the voluntary-labor system had evidently not fulfilled the end for which it was designed. The system of non-resident Professors had evidently been a success. The government of the university was all that could be desired, and the Executive Committee were to be congratulated on the success of their work. It was shown that nearly all the funds resulting from tuition-fees had been expended in Professors' salaries, and the only criticism that could be passed on the management was that too many Professors had been employed at the beginning. A motion to print and distribute the report excited considerable discussion, as many objected to indorsing Mr. Gluck's position that Cornell is by the terms of its charter a Christian institution. The report was adopted and ordered printed, however, with a resolution added thereto that the association did not necessarily adopt all statements set forth by Mr. Gluck.

At half-past 2 the tellers reported the following result: Whole number of votes cast, 393; necessary to elect, 297. Mr. Halsey received 257, Mr. Foraker 353, Mr. Vandewater 91. There was no choice, and the election was thrown into the House. The next ballot resulted: Foraker, 53; Halsey, 39. The result was received with wild cheering. Mr. Foraker made appropriate expressions of his thanks. It is to be noticed that the large vote cast for Mr. Halsey shows that very many of the graduates are not entirely in sympathy with the present management of the university. It is generally felt that although Mr. Halsey had taken pains to declare himself on the side of the President and Trustees of the university the election of Judge Foraker is a real triumph for them.

A meeting of the full Board of Trustees of the university was held today. The Treasurer's report was submitted, presenting a highly flattering account of the financial condition of the university. The Chairman, the Hon. Henry Sage, presented the report of the sales of land during the year, and the value and condition of land remaining unsold in Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Kansas, in all amounting to about 164,000 acres.

The Hon. Hiram Sibley, of Rochester, and the Hon. Stephen L. Woodford, of New York, were reelected Trustees for five years.

PRESIDENT WHITE'S REPORT.

President White submitted his report, which covered the condition of the university and the work of the year. He proposed various plans for strengthening existing departments, but recommended that no new ones be created.

Mr. Sibley was present at the meeting, having just arrived from Europe. The Trustees accepted his gift to the amount of $85,000 for the college of mechanical arts.

Additional instructors were established in the departments of South European Languages and Mathematics. The election of four persons to fellowship made yesterday by the faculty was ratified and confirmed.

MEMORIAL TO AGASSIZ.

The board decided to erect a memorial tablet in the University Chapel to Prof. Louis Agassiz on account of his services at the foundation of the university. It was also voted that the Hon. Hiram Sibley be requested to sit for his portrait, the same to be placed in the library of the university.

The class of '74 held their reunion and banquet here this evening, and the seniors their commencement concert.

TUFTS COLLEGE.

BARNUM'S GIFT.

BOSTON, Mass., June 18.—[Special.]—Commencement at Tufts College occurred today. The degree of B. A. was conferred on eleven men, Bachelor of Philosophy on two, Bachelor of Mechanic Arts on one, Bachelor of Divinity on five, Master of Arts on three, and Master of Mechanic Arts on one. The honorary degree of LL. D. was conferred upon Charles Robinson Jr., of Newton, President of the Board of Trustees, and the honorary degree of A. M. upon the Rev. Jacob Straub of Chicago. At the dinner which followed, Gov. Robinson and a number of prominent men made speeches, and President Chapin announced that the founder of the Museum of Natural History in the college was Phineas T. Barnum, the showman. The amount of $55,000 has been set apart for the building, which will also partly pay for the furnishing. A letter from Mr. Barnum was read in which he expressed his interest in the furtherance of education and in Tufts College, and regretted his inability to be present. Mr. Barnum was one of the original Trustees of the college. The museum will be called the Barnum Museum of Natural History. The company rose and drank Mr. Barnum's health, and complimented in a similar manner Mrs. Thomas A. Goddard, the giver of the new gymnasium.

OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

WHEATON COLLEGE.

WHEATON, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The commencement exercises of Wheaton College occurred today. The chapel, which has the largest seating capacity of any building in town, was packed, many not being able to gain admission. The class consisted of six young ladies, which is the first time in seventeen years that the class has been composed entirely of the fair sex. Following are the names of the class: Celestia Artell, Ophelia Artell, Etta M. Johnson, Leonora Bliss, Cora L. Tatenam, Ella C. Blake.

THE TRI-STATE NORMAL COLLEGE.

ANGOLA, Ind., June 17.—[Special Correspondence.]—The dedication of the Tri-State Normal College occurred here today, addresses being delivered by a number of prominent educators of the State. The institution opens with 150 students in attendance.

BLOOMINGTON NORMAL UNIVERSITY.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The June meeting of the State Board of Education was held this morning at Normal University, there being present eleven members out of fifteen. The now celebrated Bakewell claim came up before the board. The special committee to whom was referred the joint resolution of the Thirty-third General Assembly conveying back to Mr. Bakewell forty acres of land situated on the university campus reported adversely, denying the power of the General Assembly to authorize or order any conveyance in the premises, and that the joint resolution is of no force or effect.

The Howell memorial exercises were held today as the New Normal University, a beautiful and costly tablet being placed in the model department where Howell was formerly Principal. Deceased was a member of the first graduating class of the university in 1860, and enlisted in Company K, Eighth Regiment, in 1861. He became Second-Lieutenant, and was killed while carrying a message for Gen. Oglesby at the battle of Fort Donelson.

SUBURBAN.

Englewood.

The graduating exercises of the Cook County Normal School will take place today, beginning at 2 o'clock p. m. If the weather is favorable the exercises will be held in the open air, a platform and seats having been placed in the grove near the school-building. A large attendance is expected. The graduating class numbers twenty-six students. There will be exercises in the evening within the building, but of a less formal and more social character.

The saloon of H. O. Wilson, on Sixty-third street, within the prohibition district, has for a long time been running under the guise of a "Commercial Club" room. Under a charter granted for the organization of such a club, it was claimed that Wilson had a legal right to sell liquor to members of the club, although the Town Board refused to license him. Yesterday a letter was received from Attorney-General McCartney, in response to an inquiry sent him by H. L. Goodall & Co., in which the Attorney-General declares, in substance, that the disguise of a "club-house" does not give any person unlicensed by the proper authorities a legal right to sell liquor either to members or non-members of the club. The opinion, coming from so high an authority as the Attorney-General of the State, gives much satisfaction to Englewood people, who now feel confident of being able to compel a closing up of the objectionable "club-room."

Rock Island Car-Shops.

The funeral of Dennis McQuade, the Passenger Yard-Master of the Rock Island Road, took place yesterday from St. Ann's Catholic Church and was attended by a large number of friends and railroad men. Mr. McQuade was highly esteemed by his employers and all railroad men who knew him. He was a sober, industrious, and thrifty man and had accumulated a property which is estimated at from $15,000 to $20,000. A singular feature of his case is that there are no papers explaining the whereabouts of his possessions. His companions say that at the time of his death he had a $1,000 bill, which he carried in a book in his breast-pocket, neither of which was found. His friends also say that he claimed to have had $2,000 in gold boxed up and hid away, no trace of which can now be found. Small sums of money have been found in the barn in the rear of his residence on State street, near Fifty-third. Mr. McQuade leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss.

Lake.

A public sale of high-bred Bates cattle took place yesterday afternoon at Dexter Park, the animals being the property of M. A. Stuyvesant, of New York, and also a few head of Short-Horns from the herd of Joseph H. Orr, of Rochester, N. Y. Col. J. W. Judy conducted the sale. The attendance was not large, nor were extra-high prices realized. Today a number of Short-Horns belonging to Thomas Hughes, of Hebron, Ill., will be sold at the same place.

The Board of Trustees held a meeting and took action looking to further street improvements.

HEISTER CLYMER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—[Special.]—A dispatch from Reading, Pa., confirms the report that Heister Clymer, former Congressman from Pennsylvania, committed suicide. It says:

The suspicion that Mr. Clymer took the poison intentionally is strengthened by the fact that he left two letters, in both of which he speaks of financial embarrassments. These and other matters are supposed to have weighed so heavily on his mind that his reason gave way. It appears that after Mr. Clymer had taken the morphia he became possessed with the idea that it would not accomplish his purpose. He then caught up a carving-knife and attempted to cut his throat. About this time his wife came into the room. Her screams brought persons to her assistance, who remained with Mr. Clymer all night, walking him around the room and using every means to counteract the effects of the poison.

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Grain and Ore Freights Continue Firm at Unchanged Rates—Mishaps to Vessels.

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FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS.

GRAIN.

The demand for tonnage yesterday was less active than the day previous. There was considerable inquiry early in the day, but owing to an advance in the grain market the shipping demand fell off. Rates were firm and unchanged on a basis of 2¼ cents for wheat and 2¾ cents for corn to Buffalo. The rate on corn to Kingston was 4½ cents. Through rates to New York, lake and canal, were quoted at 8¾ cents for wheat and 6¼ cents for corn. Capacity was taken for 100,000 bushels of wheat, 179,000 bushels of corn, and 34,000 bushels of rye. The engagements were:

To *Buffalo*.	No. bu
Prop Arabia, corn	50,000
Prop B. W. Blanchard, rye	8,000
Prop Clyde, wheat	45,000
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Prop Fred Mercur, wheat	55,000
Prop Montana, corn	40,000
Schr Maria Martin, corn	46,000
To Kingston.	
Schr Samana, corn	22,000
Schr America, corn	21,000
Total	303,000

AT BUFFALO.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—The stmr City of Cleveland, which is coming here from Cleveland, was chartered for coal to Milwaukee at 80 cents. The stmr Alpena and consorts Winona, C. H. Burton, and F. B. Gardner go from here to Toledo to load coal for Duluth at 80 cents.

Canal freights were quiet at previous quotations.

The stmr Henry Chisholm and schr Alvira Cobb have arrived from Cleveland to load coal for Milwaukee. The stmrs H. E. Packer, Tacoma, and Oceanica will load Lehigh Valley coal for Chicago.

AT DETROIT.

DETROIT, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Lumber charters are as follows: Schr Dudley, Severn River to Windsor, $1.70; steambarge Henry Howard and schr Senator Blood, Alpena to Detroit, $1.37 per m; the schr Josephine takes bolts from Tyrconnel to Buffalo at $1.40 per cord.

ORE.

There is considerable activity in the ore-carrying trade. Shippers anticipate a sharp advance in freights and are anxious to secure tonnage. There was a lively demand for vessels yesterday, offerings of $1 per ton on ore from Escanaba to Ohio ports being freely made. The schr C. P. Minch was chartered at that rate.

AT CLEVELAND.

CLEVELAND, O., June 18.—[Special.]—Charters reported today were: Prop John L. Glidden, coal Buffalo to Milwaukee at 80 cents; schrs Francis Palmo and Canton, ore Escanaba to Cleveland at 95 cents; schrs F. A. Morse and G. A. Warmington, coal Cleveland to Milwaukee at 75 cents; schr King Sisters, brick St. Clair to Marquette on private terms and ore back to Ohio ports on private terms.

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AROUND THE LAKES.

A STEAM-YACHT LAUNCHED.

GRAND HAVEN, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Capt. Reuben Vanderhoof's new steam-yacht was launched from D. Robertson's shipyard today. It was named the Thomas Friant. A full description of her was printed in THE TRIBUNE at the time her keel was laid.

THE NEW TUG JOHN KELDERHOUSE.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—The new tug built by O'Grady & Maher for Capt. Thomas Mathew was launched this afternoon. She will be named the John Kelderhouse. Her length is seventy feet, beam fifteen and a half feet, and hold eight feet. Her engine is 18x24 inches, and was built by Hanson Bros. She has a boiler made of half-inch steel by Ritter, its length being thirteen feet and diameter six feet eight inches. This is the heaviest boiler ever put in a tug here. The Kelderhouse is unusually well equipped as regards power. She is of handsome model and thorough construction in every detail, and cannot but prove an excellent business boat. Capt. Mathew expects to have her out Saturday.

PORT OF MILWAUKEE.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The steam-barge Monchanseti, ore-laden for Chicago, became disabled off Fox Point early this morning and was towed in here by the tug Holton. She completed repairs and left for Chicago tonight. Capt. Chamberlain, of the steam-barge Jim Sherris, telegraphs her owner that she was not ashore below Ashtabula Monday, as reported in an Erie dispatch.

Capt. Casley has gone into the schr Pewaukee in place of Capt. Crayne, who goes into the new schr James Mowatt, on the stocks of Wolf & Davidson's yard. A heavy fog has hung over the lake since early this morning, and it is very thick tonight.

THE PEARL AND ENERGY.

DETROIT, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—The stmr Pearl was brought here today, having been pulled off the beach at White Rock last evening. She has a hole in her bottom about amidships, and her planks and keel are pretty well chafed. The extent of her injury has not yet been estimated.

The Canadian steam-barge Energy was raised today and brought to Walkerville. Her upper works are entirely gone and her machinery is badly wrecked. It is thought that something collided with her while she was sunk. Her repairs will cost about $7,000. She was not insured.

The tug Champion has gone to the assistance of the Oscar Townsend and schr Delaware, ashore on Gull and Pilot Islands respectively.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS.

LAKE MICHIGAN.

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Schr Day Spring, scow Silver Cloud. Sailed—Schr Little George, Muskegon. Wind northeast; thick fog.

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WHITEHALL, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Props T. W. Snook, Swallow; schrs Myrtle, Ella Inglewood, Hunter Savidge, Belle Laura, Maggie Thompson. Weather rainy; wind west, light.

FRANKFORT, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Prop Lawrence, schrs Oscar, Newhouse. Departed—Schrs Nellie Church and George W. Westcott for Milwaukee. A dense fog has prevailed here all day.

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ESCANABA, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Props Merrimac, Progress, Leland, Inter-Ocean, schrs B. Hanscomb, Unadilla. Sailed—Props Argonaut, Progress, Merrimac, Inter-Ocean, Leland, schrs Red White and Blue, G. W. Case, R. R., Hayes, W. S. Crosthwaite, H. W. Sage, Fitz Hughes, C. A. King, Owasco, J. H. Gilmore. Wind south, light.

MANISTEE, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Stmr City of Ludington, props Hilton, Mary Mills, R. J. Seymour, George Burnham, schrs Cuba, W. H. Dunham. E. Stevenson, J. Nook. Sailed—Stmr City of Ludington, prop J. H. Shrigley, Mary Mills, G. C. Markham, Hilton, schrs Lilly E., W. H. Dunham, Helen Pratt, Glencuyler, Melitta.

LAKE ERIE.

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CLEVELAND, O., June 18.—[Special.]—Cleared—Props Commodore, Chicago, mercandise; Superior and Sandusky, Escanaba. Arrived—Prop City of Cleveland, Escanaba, ore.

ERIE, Pa., June 18.—[Special.]—Entered—Props Hulbert, light; Lehigh, Buffalo to Duluth; schr Wyandotte, lumber to Detroit. Cleared—Props Bustering, Duluth, light; India, passengers and merchandise, to Buffalo; Lehigh, Chicago, merchandise.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrivals include: Props Nyack, Duluth, four, etc.; Alpena, Pequaming, lumber, Chicago, Chicago, corn, four, etc.; Waverly, Chicago, corn, flour, etc.; R. J. Hewett, Chicago, wheat, flour, etc.; H. B. Packer, Chicago, wheat; Juniata, Milwaukee, wheat; D. Ballentine, Milwaukee, wheat; Tacoma, Milwaukee, wheat via Northwest, Milwaukee, wheat. Clearances include: Props Northerner, superior City, 1,300 tons coal; H. Packer, Chicago, 1,600 tons coal; Clarion, Chicago, 1,300 tons coal; V. H. Ketcham, Chicago, 1,600 tons coal; India, Duluth, sundries; Alpena, Duluth, light; schr Abira Cobb, Milwaukee, 1,200 tons coal; schr T. H. Gardner, Duluth, light; E. H. Burton, Duluth, light.

LAKE ONTARIO.

KINGSTON, Ont., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Schr Comanche, from Chicago, wheat.

PORTSMOUTH, Ont., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Schrs F. D. Barker, from Chicago, 21,000 bu corn; Mary Copley, Chicago, 19,000 bu corn; Jas. Foster, Fairhaven, coal; W. Elgin, Fairhaven, coal.

LAKE SUPERIOR.

WASHBURN, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The Japan arrived from Buffalo. The China cleared for Buffalo.

HANCOCK, Mich., June 17.—[Special.]—Arrived—City of Duluth, Chicago; Idaho, Duluth; Japan, Buffalo. Cleared—City of Duluth, Chicago; Idaho, Buffalo; Japan, Duluth.

DULUTH, Minn., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Props Sovereign, St. Louis; barge Nahant. Departed—Props St. Louis, Unique, Empire, Myles; barges Iron Duke, Iron State, Wocoken; schr Winslow.

MARQUETTE, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Colonial with Specular. Was with the A. C. Maxwell, Ohio with Thomas N. Ryan. Cleared—Packett with McGregor, Iron Chief with D. Davis, V. Swain with Maxwell and O'Neill. Passed down—Idaho.

LAKE HURON.

EAST TAWAS, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Cleared—Steambarge Birkhead and barges. Arrived—Prop Sanilac, steambarge City of Mount Clemens.

WELLAND CANAL.

PORT COLBORNE, Ont., June 18.—[Special.]—Passed down—Schr W. J. Preston, Chicago to Kingston, corn; prop Armenia, Chicago to Montreal, general cargo.

PORT DALHOUSIE, Ont., June 18.—[Special.]—Passed up—Prop W. L. Frost, Ogdensburg to Chicago, general cargo. Passed down—Props O. M. Bond, Chicago to Kingston, corn; W. I. Preston, Chicago to Kingston, corn; Parker, Milwaukee to Kingston, corn; Kate Eccles, Cleveland to Oshawa, coal. Wind light; weather very warm.

GEORGIAN BAY.

MIDLAND, Ont., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Schr Niagara from Port Arthur, oats.

STRAITS OF MACKINAW.

MACKINAW CITY, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Up—Schr Naiad, 5 a. m.; prop William J. Averell, 6 a. m.; prop James Fisk, 7 a. m.; schr H. C. Richards, 7:30 p. m. Down—Propeller Atlantic, 6 a. m.; schrs Dan Miner, and Col. Ellsworth, 8 a. m. Very thick fog since 8 a. m. Wind northwest; light.

THESSALON, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Passed down—Prop Dean Richmond, Atlantic, steambarge Escanaba, schrs R. P. Beals, Pride of America, Lizzie E. Law. Up—Schr Dominion Union. Props Arctic, Annie Young, City of Rome, Barnum, Delaware. Arrived—Schrs Avery and Col. Ellsworth. Wind north, light; raining at intervals.

THROUGH THE RIVERS.

DETROIT, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Passed up yesterday—Props Sanilac, S. Moore, J. P. Clark and barges. Down today—Props Alpena, Conestoga, Progress, Marquette, Mariposa, Inter-Ocean, Leland, schrs Red White and Blue, G. W. Case, R. R., Hayes, W. S. Crosthwaite, H. W. Sage, Fitz Hughes, C. A. King, Owasco, J. H. Gilmore. Wind south, light.

MANISTEE, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—Stmr City of Ludington, props Hilton, Mary Mills, R. J. Seymour, George Burnham, schrs Cuba, W. H. Dunham. E. Stevenson, J. Nook. Sailed—Stmr City of Ludington, prop J. H. Shrigley, Mary Mills, G. C. Markham, Hilton, schrs Lilly E., W. H. Dunham, Helen Pratt, Glencuyler, Melitta.

LAKE ERIE.

ASHTABULA, O., June 18.—[Special.]—Arrived—None. Cleared—Prop D. W. Rust and schr D. K. Clint, Escanaba, coal; schr E. Harley, Chicago, coal.

CLEVELAND, O., June 18.—[Special.]—Cleared—Props Commodore, Chicago, mercandise; Superior and Sandusky, Escanaba. Arrived—Prop City of Cleve

THE CITY.

PERSONAL.

W. B. Sweitzer, U. S. A., is at the Leland.

Clinton Babbitt, Secretary of the Wisconsin State Fair Association, is at the Sherman.

Alfred Orendorff, of Springfield, Ill., and Maj. G. B. Hibbard, of Cincinnati, are at the Palmer.

Lieutenant-Commander H. L. Johnson, U. S. N.; Attorney-General William H. Yale, of Minnesota; and Justice S. F. Miller, of the United States Supreme Court, with his family, are at the Grand Pacific.

IN GENERAL.

The temperature yesterday, as observed by Manasse, optician, 88 Madison street (TRIBUNE Building), was as follows: 8 a. m., 78° above zero; 9 a. m., 80°; 10 a. m., 81°; 11 a. m., 83°; 12 m., 84°; 1 p. m., 85°; 2 p. m., 86°; 6 p. m., 72°. Barometer—8 a.m., 29.80; 6 p. m., 29.55

Bishop McLaren yesterday declined to state whether his letter of dimission for the Rev. Arthur Ritchie sent to Bishop Potter, of New York, had been accepted or not. He also declined to allow the etter to be copied, saying he must not be talked to about this matter any further.

The Committee on Public Service of the County Board yesterday directed the Republican and Democratic Central Committees of the County to send in a list of their proposed polling places before July 15, in order that the places might be officially designated by the County Board before July 30.

Col. R. M. Settler, Secretary of the National Cheese, Butter, Egg Association, received a communication from the Secretary of the Mississippi Valley Fair Association profering the use of the Opera-House and Clark's Rink at Dubuque, Ia., to the association for its September meeting. The offer was accepted.

Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding at their residence, No. 13 North Peoria street, last evening. A large number of friends called to congratulate them on the occasion of their silver wedding. They were also presented with a fine silver tea service. Mr. Patterson is a contractor, and has resided in Chicago for nearly eighteen years.

Tuesday afternoon Commissioner-in-Chancery Walt sold from the Court-House steps a lot on South Water street, near State, 24 by 100 feet, to George W. Fuller for $14,150 cash. The lot belonged to Samuel Meyers, Mrs. Nellie Roberts, and the Fuller heirs. George W. Fuller, one of the heirs, filed a bill to partition the property and sell it, and when it was offered for sale bought it himself.

Eli Lucas and Daniel Brown, both colored, had a fist-fight yesterday noon on Clark street, near Madison. After a few blows Lucas slipped on a pair of brass-knuckles and hit Brown in the left eye, gouging it out of its socket. Brown was taken to the County Hospital after his eye had been removed by a physician. Both men came from Louisville, Ky., Tuesday, in charge of horses brought to Chicago to race at the Driving Park.

A commission composed of Inspectors A. G. Sharp, B. H. Camp, and A. Burt are examining the different departments of the Chicago Post-Office with a view of determining the allowance for expenses for next year. They began the work Monday, and will finish it by Saturday, the investigation being a very thorough one. They find out how each department is carried on, and if any change is necessary to increase its efficiency recommend it to the Postmaster-General. As other commissions have done, they will probably report the necessity for an increase of the force of carriers.

Train No. 8 on the Lake Shore Road, which left Chicago at 10:10 o'clock Tuesday evening, shortly after passing Twelfth street, ran over upon the incoming track by a misplaced switch, and ran into a switch engine standing on that track. The steam-chests of each of the locomotives were scraped off. Fortunately no one was injured, but the passenger-train was delayed for over an hour. This section of the Lake Shore and Rock Island Roads, it is claimed by old engineers on both roads, is the most dangerous on either line, and they claim that they feel that they are taking their lives in their hands every time they go through these yards, for there are so many switches and curves that it is possible to see but a short distance.

In the Criminal Court yesterday before Judge Anthony judgment was entered on the forfeited bond against Elizabeth Nash and her surety, Edgar H. Bucklin, to the amount of $800. Mrs. Nash was indicted for shoplifting from the store of Marshall Field & Co. and other places on State street. Since she gave bail in the Police Court she has been missing. In the same court the trial of Edward F. Thomas and William G. Murphy for conspiracy was resumed. The case will be ended today. A verdict of guilty was returned in the case of James Brown and James Conway, members of the Scully gang, in Judge Williamson's court. Both defendants are under age, and sentence will be imposed by the court. They will be sent to the Reform School.

Ex-Gov. F. P. Moses, of South Carolina, alias F. Warren, alias Dr. Thomas G. Morton, of Philadelphia, alias James K. Laurence, of Dover, Del., was brought before Justice Foote yesterday to answer to the charge of obtaining by false representations the sum of $25 from Dr. J. H. Hollister and $17 from Dr. J. Adams Allen. He was held to the Criminal Court in bonds of $500 on each charge. While Drs. Hollister and Allen were giving their damaging testimony the defendant held his peace, but as soon as the court had passed upon the case he rose from the chair into which he had sunk and said: "I never gave this police officer the name of F. Warren. I refused to give any name—not for the purpose of misleading justice, but for the sake of saving other people pain."

A marriage ceremony at No. 307 North State street, the residence of Mrs. Catharina Muhlke, at 8 o'clock last evening, formed the happy sequel to a courtship lasting since childhood. The contracting parties were Miss Catharina C. Muhlke and Mr. Charles J. Harpel, the Rev. Joseph Hartman officiating. The bridesmaid was Miss Ada Muhlke, and the groom's best man was Mr. Walter Muhlke, sister and brother to the bride. Over 100 relatives and invited guests were in attendance. The presents were numerous, and all of a useful nature. The bride was dressed in white satin, en train, heavily trimmed with lace and passamenterie, and orange-blossoms. A tour through the Northwest will be taken by the newly-married couple, and after July 1 they will be at home to their many friends at 390 Oak street.

A SUCCESSFUL HORSE-SHARK.

Henry Alberts, alias Burke, alias Johnson, one of the gang of horse-sharks, was taken to the County Jail yesterday in default of $3,000 bail which he was asked to furnish on four charges of obtaining money under false pretenses and one for forgery. He hired a stable in the rear of 153 Eighteenth street and advertised "splendid horses" for sale. He told his customers mythical stories about his brother going to Europe, who "had no further use for the horses, you know, or he wouldn't sell them so cheap." To one man he sold a nag for $250, representing that his brother-in-law who died recently owned him. His wife now wanted to sell him at any price because every time she saw the "poor beast" it recalled to her mind the sad death of her husband. The complainants were J. L. Hibbeithwaithe, of Evanston; Stewart Bros., 501 State street; W. H. Goodrich, 354 West Jackson street; and F. H. Keassell, 2821 State street, who were all taken in by purchasing worthless horses and paying big prices for them. J. P. Smith, a carriage manufacturer, charged Alberts with passing a forged check on him for $600. He bought a carriage with it and received $150 in change. Other complaints are to be made against the prisoner.

A BRIDGE INCIDENT.

THE CLARK-STREET TENDER'S LATEST ACHIEVEMENT.

Yesterday, for the second time within a month, the Clark street bridgetender barely avoided an accident, by which a man and his horse narrowly escaped being killed. He was about to turn the bridge at 5:23, three minutes after the time alloted by law, when a man driving a heavy lumber-wagon hurried his horse across. Arriving in the centre of the bridge, he was prevented from crossing by the bridgetender. After an interchange of some choice language he concluded finally to let the driver and his restive pair, and at the same time he began turning the bridge. Several men standing on shore saw the danger the driver was in and called to him to stop. He could not check his horse, and it had already touched the street while the wagon was still on the bridge, which was fast swinging around. Men and women turned away on beholding the sight, believing that the man would meet instant death by being crushed, and that the horse would be precipitated into the water. A citizen, more self-possessed than the rest, called the driver to lash his horse, which he did. This, no doubt, saved his life. The wagon barely touched the ground as the bridge grated against it. All this happened in a moment, but the suspense to some until it was over was fearful. The bridgetender was the recipient of no small amount of abuse for his negligence and carelessness. Commissioner Cregier happened to be a witness of the scene, and he afterward reprimanded the man. He told him in the future not to open the bridge after the fixed hour, and not to try to kill men if they violated the ordinances. The easiest way was to arrest them.

ANTI-BOULEVARD.

THE WEST-SIDERS OBJECT TO PAYING A TAX FOR THE ONE RECENTLY PROJECTED.

A plethoric bill was filed yesterday in the Circuit Court by L. B. Otis, J. H. Kedzie, E. H. Sheldon, Dr. W. W. Allport, and about sixty others against the West Chicago Park Commissioners to prevent the proposed collection of the boulevard tax. The bill sets out that the Board of West Chicago Park Commissioners was organized in 1869, with power to acquire land for park and boulevard purposes at a cost not to exceed $900,000. Three Assessors were to be appointed, who were to assess this cost on the property by them deemed to be benefited in proportion to the benefits. The sums so assessed were to be included in the regular tax-warrants and collected like any other taxes. The benefits assessed for such park and boulevard purposes were to be the real and appreciable benefits, and the assessment was not in any case to be extended over any land, lots, or parts of West Chicago where such benefits did not exist.

In May, 1881, the West Park Commissioners passed an ordinance providing for the establishment of a boulevard running from the south end of Douglas Park to the Illinois & Michigan Canal and for the assessment of the cost on the property benefited. July 16, 1883, a petition was filed in the Circuit Court setting out that under previous proceedings in the County Court the cost of the proposed boulevard had been ascertained to be $247,111, and asking to have Assessors appointed to distribute the cost among the property-holders benefited. By a subsequent order Joseph Sokup, J. N. Clark, and Pleasant Amick were appointed such Assessors, who, without making any examination or investigation to ascertain the proportion of benefits to result to each lot or tract, assessed all the lots or pieces of land in the Town of West Chicago at the uniform rate of 1½ per cent on the valuation made by the Assessor of the Town of West Chicago for the taxes of 1882, except that no assessment was made on buildings or other improvements.

By this means no distinction was made between property fronting on the boulevard and that several miles away from it, all being assessed alike, except that about 10 cents per front foot was assessed on lots of the usual depth of about 125 feet fronting on the boulevard, and proportionate amounts on lots having a greater depth. The assessment roll was returned to the court in December last and was confirmed.

The complainants now assert that the West Park ordinance above referred to was void, that the court also had no jurisdiction to appoint the Assessors, and the assessment and confirmation are both null. By the law the Town Supervisor, Clerk, and Assessor of any town are designated as its corporate authorities, and on them alone is devolved the duty of making assessments. No sufficient notice of the assessment in question was ever given, and the complainants claim they had no knowledge of its existence until after it was confirmed. The reason the ordinance is void is because it requires the whole amount of the cost of the improvement to be assessed on the property in the West Town deemed to be benefited by the improvement, without reference to whether the property is benefited to that amount, and without requiring the assessment to be levied on the principle of equality of benefit and burden. It is also defective in requiring the assessment to be levied on property benefited without regard to the special benefits to accrue thereto by reason of such improvement, and in not providing for some mode of ascertaining whether there is property in the West Town which would be specially benefited to the extent of the cost of the boulevard, nor for ascertaining what proportion of the cost of the boulevard should be borne by the public and what proportion should be borne by the property specially benefited. The assessment is claimed to be void because the Assessors did not ascertain and show that the whole amount of the cost of the boulevard could be legally assessed on the lots and lands on which the assessment was levied; nor did they value all the property, but omitted the buildings; also because they assessed complainants' property more than the amount of the special benefits and without legal notice. Lastly, it is claimed the attempt to lay out this boulevard is wholly illegal because the original act of 1869 prohibited the laying out of any boulevard south of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad track unless the land necessary therefor should be obtained free of cost, and this proposed improvement, except about 400 feet, is all south of that track. Complainants therefore ask for an injunction to enjoin the collection of the proposed tax. About 75 per cent of the tax has already been paid. Messrs. Hutchinson & Luff appear as solicitors for the complainants.

CROCKERY-PEDDLING.

MR. BROWN'S ALARMING ADVENTURE WITH A CRAZY GERMAN AND HIS EXPERIENCES AND PHILOSOPHY AS AN EARTHENWARE ITINERANT IN CHICAGO.

"Wo, there, Mabel! Wo-ho, there! There's a good old lady!" At the sound of these admonitions a TRIBUNE reporter turned round expecting to see a fiery "Tartar of the Ukraine breed," but beheld instead a tall, rawboned horse such as might have been used in the War as a complex, double-jointed hatrack and writing-desk by Mr. Orpheus C. Ker, the military correspondent. Behind the animal there was a battered cart on wheels which were manifestly opposed to the perpendicular. A good-looking sun-burned young fellow jumped out of the vehicle and lifted from it a dark-brown clay pot, with which he entered a tenement house near the Stock-Yards. In a few minutes he came rushing out of the house again with the clay pot in his hand and a look of fear on his face. "Say, Sissy," he cried to a small bare-headed girl who was sitting playing on the stoop; "tell me who lives in that house up there?" "What house?" said the maiden, looking up. "That one there on the third floor with the red handkerchiefs hanging out of the window to dry." "O, that," she said; "why that belongs to old Hoppel. His wife died a month ago, an' he went crazy, and wears her clothes, an' does all his own cookin' an' washin', and won't let nobody go near the house. Pap says he's crazy as a bedbug, an' so none of us ever minds him. What's he been doin' to you? You looked scared?" The crock-peddler—for such it was—instead of replying to the girl's question went back muttering to his cart, and wiping the perspiration off his bronzed features with his coat.

Interested in the scene the reporter ventured to remark that it was a hot day. "Kin' 'o sultry like," replied the peddler shortly. "Well, suppose you come and have a glass of beer; it won't do you any harm," insinuated the reporter. "Guess it won't," said the peddler. "I feel jes' as if you could lay me out in a washin'-machine and wring me for a wilted rag." When the Ganymede, weighing about 250 pounds, had brought the beer the reporter ventured to ask the owner of Mabel what had happened up there on the third floor. "My mame," he replied, "is George W. Brown, George W. Brown, of Zanesville, O.—and I've gone around with these things for thirteen years, but I don' know as I ever had such an experience before. Gosh! he was a terror. You see, I went into the house, an' I see'd a female ironin' shirts and speaking to herself. I went up to her, and puttin' on my best fakin' style, asked her if she didn't want to buy one of these yere patent crucible fire-clay cookin' pots as wouldn't burst on the fire, an' if they did I'd make her a present of a gross of them for nothin'. Wal, she turns her head roun' at me, an' I see'd her face was covered with bristly hair as if she wanted shavin' real bad. I thought perhaps I'd met the Bearded Woman in her own domestic circle outside the Dime Museum, an' so I says, politely as possible, 'I kin guarantee these articles, ma'am, as genuine, fire-clear, fire-proof.' Before I could finish what I was goin' to say, that female commenced to abuse me awful in German, with a voice like a whole sawmill, and pickin' up her clothes she made a rush for me, an' I could see that she wore big boots with nails in them, an' so I rushes for the door an' got down four steps at a time, nearly smashin' up my crockery, to say nothin' of breakin my neck, an' you kin bet I jes' didn't stop till I got outside an' was safe from the terrible old hag. Gosh! I kin see them awful bootlegs yet." said the peddler as he finished his beer. "I tell yer, it beats all the experiences George W. Brown, of Zanesville, O., has ever had in the crockery fakin' line, and he has had a lot of them."

"Well," said the reporter, "what are your experiences in Chicago as a peddler? Do people chain down the door-mat when you go into their houses, or run for shotguns or bulldogs, or cry fire? Do you find yourself, in short, inhumanly treated, Mr. Brown?"

"No," said Mr. Brown. "I can't complain. You see, in Chicago it takes a man with a good deal of ability to make the people believe you're honest, but when once they are convinced they will stick to you right throughout. Perhaps there ain't no honest book-agents, or sewing-machine men, or lightning-rod canvassers; but at all events the men in my line—the crockery line—have to work mostly among the workin' classes, and have to give good value for the money every time. Perhaps, too, there's somethin' attractive in a good fire-proof, patent clay, crucible kettle, because when I go into a house with one of them some of the wimmin' folks is certain to take it up, turn it round and round, take off the lid, look into it, and finally resolves to try it; so I leaves it and promise to call for the money some other day. There's got to be such competition now for good crockery that you will find the fire jars as well as metal that some folks find it hard to get along, but since I've come to Chicago, about two months, I've been able to buy Mabel there for $100, and the cart for $80, and to pay hotel expenses besides. Now, I only pay $5 a week for Mabel's keep, and as the expressmen used to charge me $4.50 to $5 a day you can easily see that I've made a good bargain; and besides that I can lift the crockery out of the cart and go driving on the boulevards Sunday with the best of them. Of course I've made a lot of observations among the customers who buy my crocks all the way up from fifteen cents a set to fifty cents; and I've come to them conclusions: That the German folks is very liberal, the Scandinavians very hard to deal with because they don't know enough of the language and are consequently difficult of comprehension, the Irish folks is first-rate customers on pay days, and the Americans are the most liberal of all, but the most difficult to please with the goods they buy. Another thing I noticed—that most of the Swedish folks are down on silver money; they don't believe in it and want paper money all the time. The Germans always jingle their change first and sometimes bite it with their teeth to see if it is good. The Irish invariably count their change closely over, and just today I had an old lady who counted 35 cents five times. As for the Americans, they generally seize the money, slap it into their pockets, and say 'That's all right.' Yes, the life of a crockery-peddler, from 6 o'clock in the morning till 6 or 7 o'clock is a hard one, but I like it, and when trade's good, as it was today, when I made over $14 clear profit, counting Mabel's feed, it pays good enough to be worth sticking to. Good day, sir. I've got over the scare that old man in petticoats gave me, an' so I'll be off. Whoa! Mabel—whoa! That's a perfect lady. Gee!" and so saying George W. Brown, of Zanesville, O., went plodding on his way.

ON 'CHANGE.

SUMMER PORK CANNOT BE USED FOR "REGULAR DELIVERY."

The following was passed on 'Change yesterday:

The Directors of this Board in withholding their approval of a petition so to amend the rules as to make summer packed pork a "regular delivery," respectfully report herewith their reasons for such disapproval—viz.:

First—By reference to the record of this board it appears that July 21, 1877, a similar rule was adopted, and its unsatisfactory results were so apparent that March 20, 1878, it was repealed. Again in 1880 an attempt was made to attain the same result, but after the disastrous results and serious loss produced under the operation of the rule adopted in 1877 the attempt was summarily disposed of by the emphatic vote of 500 to 209.

Second—The packers and the shippers to the hot climates are almost unanimously opposed to the proposed change in the rules.

Third—The legitimate demand is for purposes and places for which summer-packed is wholly unsuitable, while on the other hand this proposition, we believe, is made in the speculative interest, to the serious detriment of the regular shipping and consumptive trade. Of the two classes of buyers it is the opinion of your directory that the wishes and desires of the manufacturers should have the first consideration.

Fourth—Bankers and capitalists object to advance on summer-packed pork unless stored in ice-chilled rooms, and such storage can be obtained only by one or two large houses, which would give them the monopoly of the trade under the proposed change in the rules.

Fifth—The risk of carrying summer-cured pork is so much greater than in carrying winter-cured that it will necessitate a careful inspection of every piece in every barrel; again, if a party had 250 pork bought, for example, "July delivery," under the proposed change he would not know whether he would receive winter pork at an expense of inspection of $4 or summer pork at an expense of $5.50; again, cold storage costs 15 cents per barrel per month, while the expense of winter-packed pork is only six cents per barrel per month.

Sixth—To properly cure summer-packed pork it would require sixty days' time.

Seventh—The proper and thorough inspection of summer-cured pork is, in the opinion of your directory, impracticable.

Eighth—It is found that a barrel of summer-cured pork containing 200 pounds green meat becomes softer and weighs less after exposure to a few weeks' midsummer heat than a barrel of winter-cured pork which contained only 190 pounds of green meat.

Thus far forty out of the seventy-four offices in the Open Board of Trade Building have been rented. The remaining offices will probably remain vacant until the Board of Trade Building across the street is occupied. Owing to the extreme dullness on 'Change many of the brokers' offices are being closed at 2 and 3 o'clock, and the clerks are enjoying an unusually easy time. No improvement is expected for some time to come.

JAIL-BIRDS.

GUARDING THOSE WHOSE FLIGHT IS WINGED FOR JOLIET.

The jail officials evidently considered that "forewarned is forearmed" when they made application yesterday to Judge Anthony to finally dispose of the Adams-Brown gang so that the members might be removed to the penitentiary. There are several among them who were condemned to serve heavy sentences, and they do not hesitate to make all the trouble they can for the jail-guards. Altogether there are about a dozen prisoners with the prospect of spending the next fifteen or twenty years behind the bars, and it is feared that they might excite their companions to riot. They are permitted to mingle among the younger and older criminals, and knowing that they cannot expect sympathy for their misdeeds they commit all the mean acts they can before being taken to Joliet. A more desperate lot of criminals were never within the walls of the jail than there is at present. A great many pose as heroes among their class, and as such are supposed to be leaders. The juries lately have been extremely severe, and justly so, in the discharge of their duty, and have rid the community of some hard characters. These fellows will seek revenge and the jail-keepers are oftimes singled out as the victims. For this reason, and as a precaution against all possible trouble it has been deemed best to get rid of the most desperate of the prisoners by taking them to their future home, where they will forget for a time their animosities under strict prison discipline. Judge Anthony suggests that it might be a good plan to separate the hardened criminals from the new beginners. As the County Jail is arranged, this is almost impossible, and he thinks some provision should be made to carry his suggestion into effect.

THE PLUMBERS.

HOW THEY REGARD THE CONSUMERS.

At the meeting of the Master-Plumbers' Association last night an amended proposition providing that members of the Journeymen Plumbers' Union be given the preference over non-union men was promptly tabled. As the National Plumbers' Convention will be held before the next meeting a number of papers which are to be read there by the Chicago delegates were submitted. The first was by Thomas Havey as a report on the relations existing between master plumbers and manufacturers, the speaker bolding that united action of the former to stop the sale of plumbing material and gas-fixtures direct to consumers. He offered instructions to the delegates, which were unanimously adopted. They opposed buying from manufacturers who sell to consumers and wanted such action taken at the National Convention.

Alex. W. Murray's paper took up the sanitary condition of cities. He favored the passage of a law governing the light in building in proportion to the width of the street. The most serious opposition to sanitary improvement came from rapacious landlords, who, though provided with every comfort themselves, allowed their tenants to live in death-breeding buildings.

Sidewalks should be water-proof, so as not to allow garbish to be washed under them, and should be of a greenish hue to spare the eyes. Trees should be plentiful, but not so thick as to shut out a healthful amount of sunshine. The paper in conclusion advocated the working of criminals on city streets instead of allowing them to compete with honest labor.

J. J. Wade gave a paper on "Protection," concluding with a series of resolutions pledging master plumbers not to buy of manufacturers selling to consumers, and providing for committees—local, State, and National—to secure their enforcement. The papers were ordered printed for distribution in the National Convention.

A private meeting was then held to fill up the delegation to the convention, which will be held at Baltimore beginning June 24.

COUNTRY BUTTER.

THE EXPERIENCE OF CERTAIN DEARBORN AVENUE WOMEN.

A countrified-looking team drove slowly down Dearborn avenue and stopped in front of a house near Maple street. A young fellow got out and rang the basement bell. Presently the servant-girl notified the woman of the house that there was a man there who wanted to sell her some country butter. She went downstairs and found a tall, awkward-looking individual with blue overalls and enormous cowhide boots with much mud on them. She asked him what he wanted, and he replied that he had come into town that morning from the farm in the country to bring some garden sass, which he had sold off, and he had also brought along two or three crocks of country butter. Mother had made some, and she had told him to fetch it in, thinking that she might get a little better price for it in the city than at the neighborhood store. It was some butter she had made herself, intending to sell it and earn a little extra something for Sunday clothes.

He was asked how much it was, and said about 18 cents, he thought, would be a fair price, though he wouldn't stick on that; for he was anxious to sell out so that he could take mother back the money, and when Saturday came she could go over to the store and get her goods.

The woman of the house said that 18 cents was about what she was paying at the city stores now; if he would take fifteen she might be inclined to deal with him.

He said in reply that, sooner than go any further, he would take that. He had a long way to drive before he got home, and the women folks would get anxious if he didn't get back by sundown. So he guessed he had better let her take it, and maybe he would call in again in a week or so when he came to town, and, if he found she had liked it, would fetch her some more.

So she got a twenty-five-pound crock at 15 cents a pound, and the young fellow took his money, got into his cart, and drove off. He went to two or three other houses and told the same story, and got rid of some more of the country butter at the same price.

It appears, however, that instead of driving back a country road and taking the money to his old mother, this bad boy crossed over on to the West Side, and drove down Blue Island avenue until he somewhere near Sixteenth street, and put up his horse in a barn immediately in the rear of an oleomargarine manufactory. After having gotten through with unharnessing the horse he went into the factory, took off his cowhide boots and his overalls, replacing them with more fashionable attire; handed over to the man in charge of the factory the money which he had received for the butter, and sold one crock of mother's butter which he had not disposed of. And after having thus swindled the old woman out of the money which was her due he went to an adjoining beer saloon and began drinking beer and playing cards, keeping it up until late at night.

After one day's use, the women on Dearborn avenue became dissatisfied with the butter, and are waiting anxiously for the return of the young man so that they may tell him what they think of him and his mother.

"And," said one who did not buy to one who did, "what made you think he came from the country?"

"He said 'By Gosh,' and all country people, you know, swear that way—Josh Whitcomb and all the rest of them."

ACCIDENTS.

THE DAY'S RECORD OF MISHAPS.

G. W. Moore, driver of a sprinkling-wagon, fell from his seat to the street at the corner of Michigan avenue and Washington street, receiving severe internal injuries. It was considered a case of sunstroke.

Four Italian laborers were buried under a falling wall at the east side of the Exposition Building. Carl Matza, of No. 174 East Harrison street, got his left arm bruised, and John Senoe, of No. 398 Dearborn street, was hurt internally. The other two escaped with slight injuries.

David R. Williams, a car-cleaner, whose home is at No. 77 North Morgan street, fell from a train at the corner of Green street and Carroll avenue, and received some severe bruises on his head and shoulder.

George Jewett, pipeman of Engine Company No. 28, fell from the top of a thirty-foot ladder which was erected against the burning building of L. K. Russell & Co., No. 82 Fulton street, striking on a shed roof twenty-six feet below. The bones of his left wrist were broken and his face badly bruised.

A sidewalk in front of No. 7 Tell place on which was piled a lot of building material fell, carrying with it four men. Charles Bollhagen, of No. 558 North Paulina street, was bruised on the left arm and hip; Joseph Holtz, No. 74 Tell place, was bruised on the right hip; Albert Werel, No. 76 Tell place, had both knees injured and left side seriously bruised; Charles Schraeder, No. 72 Tell place, had left leg and right hip injured seriously.

NURSERYMEN.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION IN ANNUAL SESSION.

The ninth annual session of the American Association of Nurserymen was begun yesterday morning in the Methodist Church Block. There were present about 200 delegates from all parts of the country. About the hall, on the platform, and upon tables in the rear were geraniums of white and red, lending freshness and beauty to the gathering.

The association was called to order by the President, M. A. Hunt, of Wright's Grove, Chicago. After briefly discussing the question of admission-fees, Mayor Harrison welcomed the delegates. He concluded by remarking that though he had been denoune ed officially, he was proud to say that he was the Mayor of a city which had done more for its parks than any city in the Union.

President Hunt then made his annual address, in which he reviewed the progress of the association from its beginning. Referring to the Illinois society, he said that it was organized in the summer of 1876 with eighty members, while they have now double that number. The National Association, he said, had become a great medium of exchange. He believed that the last annual meeting was the cause of over a quarter of a million dollars' worth of additional trade. There should be settled at this meeting two important points, the main one being that of transportation. The second was that of protecting the nurseryman's best friend, the planter. He has many times been demanded, and the honest dealers have to bear the effects. He asked that nothing be done to screen the dealings of all those who are honest and who try to do that which is right.

At the afternoon session M. B. Pearsoll, of Fort Scott, Kas., took for his theme the transportation problem. He said that the transportation of trees and plants upon railroads cost more than any other class of freight, owing solely to their perishable nature and their liability to injury. But few shippers of this class of goods present bills for damages, and fewer are allowed. A railroad, he claimed, should transport such freight under the same conditions as they carry live stock, for the reason that trees, flowers, and plants must be watered as often as cattle. They get just as dry, and they cannot be transferred from one car to another without equally as much care. Nurserymen were charged double rates upon railroads, and he believed and hoped that some action would be taken to put them upon a par with other shippers of perishable freight. As one of the remedies he suggested that all shipments of packages less than seventy-five pounds should be made by express. Again he thought that in every town of large size there should be a commissioner selected by nurserymen in the adjoining county who should look after their interests. He should see that all freights forwarded to his care reached their proper destination, and that all bills were collected.

S. M. Bayles thought it was much cheaper to load cars than to send stuff in cots. He believed the shippers of trees and plants was entitled to the same privileges as the man who shipped other perishable material.

The subject was further discussed by D. H. Schroeder of Bloomington, Ill.; J. S. Carpenter of Jefferson County, Nebraska; E. Burrows of Canton, Mo.; Henry E. Wild of Sarcoxie, Mo.; and W. C. Barry of New York.

"New Seedling Grapes" was the title of a paper read by Mr. Rommel, of Morrison, Mo., and this was followed by J. Jenkins, of Winona, Minn., who spoke humorously of "Business Uncertainties."

A short paper followed by A. W. Webber, of Nashville, Tenn., upon the subject of wintering roses. Brief remarks were made by J. S. Wright of Sioux City, E. Burrows of Canton, Mo.; George Atwood of Geneva, N. Y.; G. Cadwallader of Kansas; and D. S. McDonald of Marshall, Mich.

The next order of business was the reports on stocks, the States being called alfabetically.

W. F. Heights, from Alabama, reported a specially good prospect for pears, cherries, and plums.

Illinois was reported by Mr. Augustine, of Normal, who gave a statement regarding the central part of the State. The seedlings were moderate in amount, but the supply of two and three year old apple-trees was good.

Silas Wilson, of Atlantic, Ia., spoke hopefully of the grape outlook, though the seedlings were not promising.

At this point it was agreed that as the reports on stock were not satisfactory it would be better to postpone the further call of States until today. The association then adjourned until this morning.

In the evening the Protective Association met in the club-room of the Sherman House, the session being held with closed doors.

THE ANTWERP EXHIBITION.

The Universal Exhibition of Antwerp (1885) meets everywhere with the greatest encouragement. In England a committee with the Marquis of Hamilton, chamberlain to the Prince of Wales, as Chairman, has been organized. Among the members of this committee are the Lord Mayors of London, Manchester, York, Liverpool, and Birmingham, and several distinguished personages, such as Sir Philipp Cunliffe Owen, Director of the South Kensington Museum; Ed. Birbeck, M. P.; W. H. Michael, Private Counselor to the Queen, A. S. P. France has officially recognized the Universal Exhibition of Antwerp (1885). It has named a commission of thirty-six members, of which the Minister of Commerce is Chairman. The Vice-Presidents are Mr. Teisserenc de Bort, formerly Minister, and Mr. Dietz-Monnier, President of the Chamber of Commerce of Paris.

SUMMER TRAINS TO LAKE GENEVA.

From and after Sunday, June 22, trains will leave Chicago for Lake Geneva daily, except Sundays, as follows: Via the Short Line at 9 a. m. and 3:15 p. m.; via Junction and Elgin at 7:15 a. m. and 4:15 p. m. The 3:15 p. m. train will carry parlor-cars. This arrangement allows those who wish to go and return the same day a stay of six hours in this charming resort. Round-trip tickets at reduced rates can be obtained at any of the following ticket offices: 62 Clark street, Palmer House, Grand Pacific Hotel, and the passenger-depot corner of Wells and Kinzie streets.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT OF WAUKESHA TRAINS.

Trains for this delightful resort will leave Chicago via the Chicago & Northwestern Railway from and after Sunday, June 15, as follows: 8:00 a. m. (8:30 a. m. Sundays only), 11:30 a. m., 3:00 p. m., and 5:00 p. m. except Sundays. Superb parlor cars will run on all trains and Northwestern dining cars on the 11:30 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. trains This is the popular lake shore route to Waukesha via Milwaukee.

To make a good salad dressing in the ordinary way, good condiments, plenty of time, and no little skill are essential. Durkee's Salad Dressing supplies all these requisites. Sold everywhere.

Finest teeth, $8; filling half rates. Drs. McChesney.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The County Clerk issued marriage licenses to the following couples yesterday:

Names and residence.	Age.
Louis Bohn, Chicago	27
Annie Ruck, Chicago	27
Herman Hauf, Chicago	33
Maria Debczinska, Chicago	30
John Geschegan, Chicago	30
Delia Merrick, Chicago	22
William Hawes, Cicero	35
Elizabeth Hancorn, Cicero	34
Herman Jorgensen, Chicago	24
Bertha Hammerstrom, Chicago	24
Edward Hintz, Chicago	25
Lizzie Reilman, Chicago	23
Joseph Trutel, Chicago	30
Mrs. Victor Prant, Chicago	49
John W. Travers, Evanston	21
Margaret Calvey, Kenosha, Wis.	22
Morris O'Connor, Chicago	23
Lizzie Madden, Chicago	20
Otto Tasmer, Lake	24
Mrs. Ernestine Krause, Lake	24
August Baker, Chicago	23
Josephine Morris, Chicago	17
Timothy M. Elliott, Chicago	24
Kitty Carithers, Pacific Junction	21
Ward C. Hughson, Albany, N. Y.	26
Amelia McoFeat, Chicago	23
William E. Gibson, Chicago	29
Sarah Moore, Chicago	27
Thomas Hafly, Chicago	27
Sophia Davis, Chicago	21
David Frok, Chicago	21
May Handl, Chicago	20
Andrew J. Dale, Chicago	25
Louise Deckler, Chicago	19
Sylvan Newhall, Glencoe	24
Annie Day, Chicago	22
Max Rosenberg, Chicago	27
Catherine Friedrich, South Chicago	20
George T. Webster, Chicago	25
Agnes Cochran, Chicago	23
Patrick Reedy, Chicago	23
Mary McGetrick, Chicago	23
Timothy Sullivan, Chicago	23
Mary Thies, Chicago	23
W. Jay Jones, Chicago	46
Mrs. Minerva Woodson, Chicago	21
Peter L. Vecki, Chicago	23
Geloomina Quiza, Chicago	19
Richard W. Wilson, Chicago	27
Ida Hawley, Chicago	24
Herman Jerchow, Chicago	21
Martha Heller, Chicago	21
Neward Akin, Evanston	21
Eva Caswell, Chicago	19
John J. Leary, Chicago	23
Bridget Moran, Chicago	23
Wesley A. Arnold, Evanston	23
Florence Crandall, Oak Park	22
Scott Ames, Custer, Mich	22
Nellie Ellis, Chicago	19
Christian Hibbing, Rich	23
Eliza Riecbes, Rich	22

MARRIAGES.

BISCOE—SANDS—At Evanston, Ill., June 18, by the Rev. Dr. F. S. Jewell, Mr. Theodore A. Biscoe, of Fort Worth, Tex., to Miss Lottie Sands, daughter of the late Dr. William Sands, of Baltimore, Md.

☞ Fort Worth (Tex.) and Baltimore (Md.) papers please copy.

WHEELER—RUMSEY—June 18, 1884, at Lake Geneva, Wis., at the Church of the Holy Communion, by the Rev. Dr. Yibbert, the Rev. R. K. Korfoot assisting, Samuel E. Wheeler and Elizabeth Theodora Rumsey.

DEATHS.

RICHARDS—The funeral of Mrs. C. N. Richards will take place tomorrow from her late residence, 3719 State-st., at 2 p. m. Carriages to Oakwoods.

PETTY—At her residence, No. 6 Woodland Park, June 17, Mrs. Nancy Petrow, aged 69 years 3 months 11 days.

Interment at Princeton, Ill., June 18.

McCLELLAND—June 18, at 7:30 a. m., Hugh McClelland, at the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary McClelland, 16 West Seventeenth-st.

Funeral notice hereafter.

WAITE—At Alexian Brothers' Hospital, June 17, Capt. William Waite, aged 70.

Funeral from hospital at 10:30 a. m. Thursday, 19th.

O'CONNELL—John, second son of John and Bridget O'Connell, aged 6 years and 6 months.

Funeral Thursday, 19th inst., from late residence, 284 Blue Island-av., by cars to Calvary.

THORN—June 17, at his residence, 6047 Wentworth-av., Englewood, Charles Thorn, aged 37 years and 3 months.

Funeral at 1 p. m. June 19 to Mt. Greenwood Cemetery.

☞ Cleveland and Youngstown (O.) papers please copy.

DEMARAIS—June 18, Annie M. Demarais, aged 11 months, infant daughter of P. P. and Josie Demarais.

Funeral Thursday, June 19, from 3071 State-st. to Calvary by carriage. Friends of family invited.

PAYNE—Reuy Payne at 5 p. m., June 18, aged 33 years.

Funeral Friday.

LYNCH—Wednesday, June 18, 6 p. m., Michael, son of Daniel and Ellen Lynch, and brother of the late Daniel Lynch, aged 24 years 10 months and 19 days. Residence, 511 Twenty-second-st.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

HEATH—In this city, June 18, Susie A. C., beloved wife of Albert T. Heath, aged 31 years.

Funeral from residence, No. 119 Flournoy-st., at 11 a. m., today. Interment at Graceland Cemetery.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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Suitable adv't's received for this page every day (except Sunday) for 10 cents a line each insertion.

IN ORDER TO ACCOMMODATE OUR numerous patrons throughout the city and suburbs, we have established Branch Offices, as designated below, where advertisements will be taken for the same price as charged at the Main Office, and will be received until 9 o'clock p. m:

SOUTH DIVISION.
203 WENTWORTH-AV., southwest corner Thirty-first-st.—L. Braun, Druggist.
261 COTTAGE GROVE-AV., corner Thirty-fifth-st.—Leo B. Monroe, Druggist.
22 TWENTY-SECOND-ST., S. E. Simms, Booksellers and Stationers.
267 INDIANA-AV., corner Thirty-first-st.—Judson S. Jacobus, Druggist.
261 COTTAGE GROVE-AV., corner Thirty-ninth-st.—Hubbard & Gore, Druggists.

WEST DIVISION.
239 WEST MADISON-ST., near Aberdeen—Charles F. Bowen & Co., Druggists.
69 WEST LAKE-ST., cor. Sheldon } L. Shreiber & Co.,
69 WEST MADISON-ST., cor. Sheldon } Druggists.
651 SOUTH HALSTED-ST. } F. A. Drushel, Druggist.
62 WEST TWELFTH-ST. } corner Paulina—H. F.
61 WEST MADISON-ST. } Kost, Druggist.
124 SOUTH HALSTED-ST., corner of Adams—James M. Kirkley & Co., Druggists.
677 WEST MADISON-ST., corner of Ogden-av.—Max Behnke, Druggist.
81 OGDEN-AV.—Th. Sonnenchen, Druggist.
720 WEST LAKE-ST., corner of Lincoln—H. C. Hertzog, Newsdealer, and Fancy Goods
202 NORTH HALSTED-ST., corner Indiana—August Jacobson, Druggist.
1202 WEST MADISON-ST., corner Western-av.—John Myers, Druggist.
626 WEST LAKE-ST., northwest corner Paulina—R. Still, Druggist.
703 MILWAUKEE-AV.—Herman Ehlich (successor to C. H. Plautz), German Pharmacy.

NORTH DIVISION.
126 NORTH CLARK-ST., corner of Ohio—Gale & Blocki, Druggists.
445 NORTH CLARK-ST., corner Division—A. S. Cowan, Druggist.
675 LARRABEE-ST., corner Garfield-av.—F. M. Willson & Co., Druggists.
974 NORTH CLARK-ST., corner Webster-av.—Frank Schrage, Druggist.

SUBURBAN.
DEPOT ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.—W. O. Swett Jr., Stationer and News Dealer.
ENGLEWOOD.
CORNER WENTWORTH-AV. AND CHESTNUT-ST.—Englewood Eye Office.
EVANSTON.
GEORGE W. MUIR, Bookseller, Stationer, and Newsdealer.
LAKE VIEW.
EVANSTON-AV., near Diversy-st.—C. S. Wells, Post-Office and Druggist.
HAVENSWOOD.
W. H. BRYAN, Real Estate, Insurance, and General Merchant.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—BETWEEN COMMERCIAL NATIONAL Bank and Palmer House, Russian leather pocketbook. Finder may keep change if he will kindly return book or inclosed photo to Commercial National Bank.

SITUATIONS—MALE.

BOOKKEEPERS AND CLERKS.

SITUATION WANTED—BY BOOKKEEPER; experienced. Best references. Address R 93, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY MAN THOROughly posted in grocery business. Best of references. X 60, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—IN AN OFFICE BY a young man, rapid penman. Best of references. X 61, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—ON BOARD OF Trade by an experienced young man; can influence some shipping trade. X 62, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY FIRST-CLASS bookkeeper; thirteen years' experience as office manager of large confectionery and biscuit manufactory. Address X 73, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—IN OFFICE BY young man; quick at figures and good penman. No. 1 references. X 83, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—IN WEST OR Northwest town, in hardware, farm implement, and seed store; 7 years' experience; recommendations from former employers. Address X 51, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY READY AND accurate stenographer; also good machine operator; can furnish machine. X 77, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN 21 years of age as office clerk. Can give good security. Address H F 79, Tribune office.

SALESMEN.

SITUATION WANTED—AS TRAVELING salesman; dry goods preferred; have established trade in Iowa. X 58, Tribune office.

TRADES.

SITUATION WANTED—CARPENTER—GOOD factory carpenter; energetic and intelligent. X 59, Tribune office.

COACHMEN, TEAMSTERS, &c.

SITUATION WANTED—BY FIRST-CLASS coachman, good groom, understands lawn work, good milker. Apply to F. MILLS, 1029 West Madison.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN of 25 to take care of gentleman's horses; knows everything about a barn and willing to please. X 63, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COACHMAN BY a man that understands the driving and care of horses and carriages; willing to make himself useful. Good reference. X 76, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN who wants to work in a livery as buggy-washer. Apply at 133 Superior-st.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SITUATION WANTED—AS JANITOR BY 1st of July; good reference; can give good city reference. Address Y 57, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—WHOLESALE PAper men—Man thoroughly posted in wholesale paper business wants situation; best of references. X 68, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A FIRST-CLASS stenographer and typewriter; work for the forenoons. Address Y 39, Tribune office.

SITUATIONS WANTED—TWO YOUNG MEchanics desire employment desire to engage in any kind of work in city or country. Address X 79, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY GENTLEMAN experienced in wholesale confectionery and biscuit business. Would act as book-keeper, salesman, or traveling agent. Best references. Address X 70, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—IN HELPING ANY one or set a section of some building or some rooms to attend. Address H. BARNETT, 260 South Portland-av and Division.

SITUATIONS—FEMALE.

DOMESTICS.

SITUATION WANTED—TO DO GENERAL housework by a young girl. Call at 135 Ontario-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A SCANDINAvian girl for general housework. Best references. 237 Dearborn-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A GOOD GIRL for general housework. 2220 Michigan-av.

SITUATION WANTED — FOR SECOND work; will help wash and iron. Call at 2093 State-st.

SITUATION WANTED—AS SECOND GIRL in private family. Call at 2221 Wentworth-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A COMPETENT German girl to do second work in private family. Call for three days at 2113 State-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A GOOD COOK and washer and ironer. 2339 Michigan-av.

SITUATION WANTED—IN A PRIVATE family as cook or to do general housework. Reference given. Please call or address 207 South State-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY GOOD COLORED girl to do general work in a small family. Address 42 Morgan-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A RESPECTable Irish girl to do general housework; West Side preferred. 4 Grenville-av.

NURSES.

SITUATION WANTED—A COMPETENT woman willing to do light work would like a position as nurse or housekeeper; can take charge of an infant. Good references. X 54, Tribune office.

LAUNDRESSES.

SITUATION WANTED—TO DO THE LAUNdry work for a family by a private laundress. Can give good references. Please call at 3516 Butterfield-st.

SITUATION WANTED—TO DO WASHING and ironing at home, or will go out and work by the day. 111 Honore-st., up-stairs.

SEAMSTRESSES.

SITUATION WANTED—AS SEAMSTRESS OR any employment that is not menial by a very Borough person who will give satisfaction in every particular. Address T. E., 1432 Wabash-av., in store.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FAMILIES NEEDing good Scandinavian and German female help supplied at G. DUSSMAN'S, 67 North Halsted-st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—GOOD GIRLS always to be found at Mrs. Hanson's Intelligence Office, 319 Noble-st., near Chicago-av.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

BOOKKEEPERS AND CLERKS.

WANTED—A BOOKKEEPER WHO UNDERstands sash, doors, and blinds. X 84, Tribune.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS ORDER CLERK in a grocery; none but a competent man should apply. 237 Rush-st.

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER—MAN OF SOME experience to take charge of set of books; must be right every way and bring best of references. Address Z 64, Tribune office.

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED DRY-GOODS entry clerks. Address X 67, Tribune office.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN AS STENOGrapher and typewriter to go to Louisville, Ky.; must be competent to take down 125 to 150 words per minute. Address, stating salary expected and giving reference, X 69, Tribune office.

WANTED — ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, drug clerk, grocery clerk, cashier, timekeeper; also traveling salesman. 182 East Washington-st., office 4.

COACHMEN, TEAMSTERS, &c.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, WITHOUT children, to go to suburb—man to take care of horse and cow and do light gardening, woman to do general housework. Call from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. at room 28, 152 Randolph-st.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

BOYS.

WANTED—A BOY ABOUT 16 YEARS OLD, active and willing to work, in a manufacturing office. Address in own handwriting, with references, X 52, Tribune office.

WANTED—A BRIGHT OFFICE-BOY, 13 TO 15 years old, living at home and come well recommended. Address X 72, Tribune office.

TRADES.

WANTED — ENGRAVERS ON METAL plate for label and show-card work. Address Crescent Label Co., St. Louis.

WANTED—GOOD ENGRAVER FOR BRASS rollers. Nos. 11 to 13 South Canal-st., rear building, Room 8.

WANTED—ENGINEER FOR STATIONARY engine. Address, stating where last employed, X 57, Tribune office.

WANTED—CAKE BAKER; ONE WHO UNderstands ornamenting; wages $15 per week and steady work. PAULIN & CO., Winnipeg, Man., Canada.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED — CANVASSERS FOR MY IMproved needle-package campaign goods and other fast-selling articles; catalogue free. C. M. LININGTON, 145 Wabash-av.

WANTED—MEN — ANY MAN MAKING less than $40 per week should investigate our easy money-making business. Inexperienced persons guaranteed $20 per cent profit; $30 a week easily made on $10 to $50. Men with more money offered a better chance. Write from any State for papers. Address MERRILL & CO., Room 2, 27 North Clark-st., Chicago.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, WITH SOME experience in an engineer's or architect's office, as assistant in drawing-room of a manufacturing establishment. Address, giving pay expected, X 71, Tribune office.

WANTED—THREE GENTS OF GOOD Address to canvass the North, South, and West Sides of this city for our new "Automatic Bell Letter-Box." No competition. Exclusive territory guaranteed to right parties. Sanderson Mfg. Co., Room 8, 75 Fifth-av.

WANTED—A MAN TO TRAVEL THROUGHout the West for an Eastern house manufacturing tin advertising cards and insurance signs. Address P. W. LEE, 36 La Salle-st., city.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

DOMESTICS.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR SECOND Vernon-av.

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework for small family; German or Swede prefered. 2347 Michigan-av.

WANTED—A TIDY COLORED GIRL FOR second work at 271 Michigan-av.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL TO COOK, WASH, and iron in a private family; Swede or Norwegian preferred. Apply at 136 Rush-st.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS GIRL FOR GENeral housework in small family. Must have references. 3643 Stanton-av.

WANTED—GOOD WAGES TO COMPETENT girl for general housework; with or without washing, at Hyde Park. Apply at northeast corner Fifty-seventh-st. and Madison-av.

WANTED—GERMAN WOMAN; GENERAL housework. 381 Adams-st.

WANTED—AT 3833 FOREST-AV., A SECond girl. References required.

WANTED—GERMAN GIRL AS COOK AND laundress. 592 La Salle-av.

WANTED—A SMART ENGLISH GIRL FOR second work in first-class family. 2257 Indiana-av.

WANTED—FOR COOK AND LAUNDRESS in private family a thoroughly competent girl. Must have good references. 2837 Indiana-av.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR general housework; must be good laundress and good plain cook; also German nurse girl. 363 La Salle-av. Call after 10 a. m.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 723 Congress-st.

NURSES.

WANTED — NEAT GIRLS AT CHICAGO Directory for nurses. 2257 Indiana-av.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A BRIGHT GIRL TO WRITE, read proof, and make herself useful; pay small to begin. Apply by letter only. R. S. & B. Journal Room 36, 125 Clark-st.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

AGNEW & CO., 154 LA SALLE-ST.—
$20,000 buys interest in the best manufacturing business in Chicago, covered by their own patents.
$5,500 buys lease and furniture of fine paying hotel; running full; cheap rent; owner has made a fortune.
$3,000 buys lease and furniture of European hotel; location the best in Chicago; South Side.
$2,500 buys the best transient European Hotel in Chicago.
$1,000 buys old-established grocery and tea store; large German trade; all cash.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY—RESTAURANT for sale near the Palmer House; seats 125, income $4,000 per month; price $4,500; reason for selling have a chicken ranch in the West to look after. X 66, Tribune office.

A LADY WILL INVEST SOME MONEY with her services in a down-town light business. COLLINS, 142 Dearborn-st.

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MONETARY.

Gleanings at the principal cities of the United States yesterday and a week ago were:

	Yesterday.	Week ago.
New York		
Boston		
Philadelphia		
Baltimore		
New Orleans		
Cincinnati		
Chicago		
St. Louis		

New York exchange was quoted as follows yesterday:

	Buying.	Selling.
Boston, 60-day premium.		
Cincinnati, 60-day premium.		
New Orleans, $150 premium.		
Chicago, 75c premium.		

Business is very dull, and there was an air of carelessness and languor about the banks yesterday. There was not the excitement apparent to an unusually low ebb. Some of the banks report that they have scarcely half the ordinary amount out on call, and that is probably the case with all these institutions. The interest is a matter many look for favorable response at banks to lend at a lower figure. The banks are all running strong. The reserve of ready cash must have increased considerably in the last fortnight, as there have been no large shipments of currency in the near future. Foreign bills were dull and steady.

Investment securities were dull. Prices keep up pretty well to call loans, but all other securities considerably. Generally, however, the bonds are so held that no large amounts of them are likely to come on the market. The sales at the Chicago Stock Exchange were $1,000 Chicago Gas (1st Division) at 69¼, and $5,000 Chicago Gas (2d Division) at 69¼, and 10 shares of City Railway stock at 34½. Among the sales over the counter were $20,000 United States registered 4s at 119¾, $5,000 coupon at 119¾, $1,000 Chicago Water 7s at 98, $1,000 Jeffery, Iron & Steel 6s at 118, $1,000 Rome (Ga.) 7s at 101, and $1,000 West Point (Ga.) 6s at 100.

The following were the bidding prices at the Stock Exchange except where a degree (°) indicates that the price named was asked without a bid:

Government, Bonds.		
Coupon 6s, 1881	103	
Coupon 5s, 1881	101	
Coupon 4s	119	
Coupon 4s, 1907	119	
Coupon 4½s	109	
Registered 6s, 1881	103	
Registered 5s, 1881	101	
Registered 4s	119	
Registered 4s, 1907	119	
Registered 4½s	109	
Currency 6s	122	
State Bonds.		
Missouri 6s	102	
Tennessee 6s, old	36	
Tennessee 6s, new	36	
Tennessee 5s, old	74	
Tennessee 5s, new	74	
Tennessee 3s	74	
Virginia 6s, old	36	
Virginia 6s, new	36	
Virginia 6s, consol	36	
Virginia 6s, ex-matured coupons	36	
Virginia 6s, deferred	36	
Virginia 6s, deferred, ex-matured coupons	36	
Virginia 6s, trust receipts	36	
Virginia 6s, trust receipts, ex-matured coupons	36	
Virginia 3s	36	
Virginia 3s, ex-matured coupons	36	
Railroad Bonds.		
Atchison 4s	87	
Atchison 2d mortgage 7s	110	
Atchison income 2s	87	
Boston & Albany 7s	140	
Boston & Lowell 7s	120	
Boston & Maine 7s	130	
Boston & Maine 5s	110	
Burlington & Quincy 5s	116	
Burlington & Quincy consol 7s	130	
Burlington & Quincy consol 6s	120	
Burlington & Quincy debenture 5s	107	
Burlington & Quincy Nebraska 6s	107	
Burlington & Quincy Nebraska 5s	107	
Burlington & Quincy Iowa 5s	107	
Burlington & Quincy Iowa pref. 5s	107	
Burlington & Quincy Iowa 4s	107	
Burlington & Quincy Iowa pref. 4

...ment against 78,900 same time in 1883, the ...ness in any previous year.

...York, June 18.—Cotton—In consequence of ...ering seen earlier in the day still sellers of ...ption at any price they had to submit to a fur... of 25@.30c as regards leading months, but ... the day there was a reaction of about .35c, ... of the third call June brought 11.35c, August ...ember, 11.36c, October 11.35c, November ... was offered at 11.38c, December 11.45c, ... February 10.85c, March 11.10c, April ... closed steady; July .90c and the others ... lower than yesterday.

...ston, Tex., June 18.—Cotton—Dull and ... net receipts, 30 bales; exports coastwise, ...

...Orleans, La., June 18.—Cotton—Dull and ... net receipts, 14 bales; gross, 141; exports, ...ain, 2,100; coastwise, 2,320; sales, 400; stock, ...

...phis, Tenn., June 18.—Cotton—Quiet at ...ceipts, 40 bales; shipments, 275; stock, 15,243; ...

...uis, Mo., June 18.—Cotton—Dull; mid... ...; sales, none; receipts, 100 bales; shipments, ...,000.

...burg, Pa., June 18.—Petroleum—Dull; ... opened at 71¾c, advanced to 71¾c, de... closed at 70¾c.

...ford, Pa., June 18.—Petroleum—Weak; ... Pipe-Line certificates opened at 71¾c and ...at 71¾c; highest price, 71¾c; lowest, 70¾c; total ...esday, 16,000 brls; total shipments, 24,317; char... 2,311; clearances, 1,662,000.

...Kalmen, La., June 18.—Butter—The sales at ...ner and Cheese Exchange yesterday afternoon ...e larger than ever, and prices were better, cream... selling 19½c for prime; nearly 1,000 tubs were ...

...oria, Ill., June 18.—Whisky—Unchanged at ...

...Cincinnati, O., June 18.—Whisky—Higher at ...

...New Orleans, La., June 18.—Whisky—Steady ... unchanged.

...Wilmington, N. C., June 18.—Turpentine—Dull ...

CROP PROSPECTS.

Illinois.

CENTRALIA, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The warm ...weather, followed by frequent rains, has ripened ...e wheat, and reaping will be in progress within ...o or three weeks. The acreage plowed under by ...reason of short crop is considerable. An abun... ...dance of oats is confidently expected. Corn is look... ...ing well. While the strawberry crop has been fair... ...ly abundant, returns are discouraging. Chicago ...prices now prevailing will not pay for the picking ...and marketing. Shipments by the Shippers' Asso... ...ciation alone reach 1,235,600 quarts. Berries are ...now being given away for the picking.

GILTON, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The fine ...weather of the last few days has been very favora... ...ble for farm work. Farmers have about made up ...the lost time caused by the recent rain. But few ...acres of corn in De Witt County will be lost on ac... ...count of drouth or weeds. Wheat, oats, and crops ...of all kinds have every appearance of a good yield.

SHELBYVILLE, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The ...weather has been dry and warm for the last ten ...days, and the growth of corn has been wonderful, ...except in a portion of the county. There is an ex... ...tensive prospect, and a large crop is looked for. ...There is no change in wheat in the ...same section. From twelve to fifteen bush... ...els is expected to the acre. In others ...harvest will be well satisfied with eight. Take the ...county over, perhaps ten bushels to the acre would ...about express it. The wheat harvest will begin ...about the last of next week. Grass was never bet... ...ter, and oats fair to middling. The wool clip is ...coming in lively, but the low prices are far from ...satisfactory.

Michigan.

WHITEHALL, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—The ...weather the last week has been delightfully pleas... ...ant. Crops are coming on well. Wheat is headed ...out in good shape, and, should nothing come to ...prevent, a good fair crop will be harvested. Hay... ...ing has just commenced in clover, and timothy will ...soon be ready. Farmers are marketing their corn ...which are looking fine, but corn, owing to inferior ...seed and cut-worms, is backward, a number of ...pieces having been plowed up and sown with millet ...or buckwheat.

KILLMASTER, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Farmers ...are jubilant over the crop prospects in this county. ...The growing wheat is nicely headed out. The heads ...are large and just in bloom. The stand is some... ...what uneven, but the straw is of good growth and ...the stools are well set and contain more than the ...usual number of stalks. The hay cut is heavy. ...Corn is coming forward finely. Potatoes are doing ...nicely, and upon the whole the outlook for a full ...crop of all is excellent.

Nebraska.

HARNEY, Neb., June 18.—[Special.]—Frequent ...rains and favorable weather continue to improve ...the crop prospects. A circular sent to prominent ...farmers in thirty townships gives the following re... ...sults: Taking the crop of last year at this season as ...a basis, and calling the same 100 per cent, the com... ...parative stand for 1884 is as follows: Wheat, con... ...dition 96 per cent, 80 per cent more sown than last ...year. Oats, condition 94 per cent, same as sown as ...last year. Rye, 92 per cent, 5 per cent more sown ...than last year. Barley, condition 102 per cent, 5 ...per cent more sown than last year. Corn, condi... ...tion 90 per cent, necessary to be replanted 7 per ...cent, 10 per cent more planted than last year. ...Grass started late, but is now in better condition ...than at this time in former years.

Wisconsin.

ELROY, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The weather ...continues favorable for all crops, and the last few ...days has been warm, and the refreshing showers have ...been frequent. It is thought that rye will be ready ...to cut in two weeks, and all small grain is doing ...well accordingly. Strawberries are abundant.

JANESVILLE, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The rain ...is of great benefit to crops, and tobacco-planting ...is going forward rapidly.

APPLETON, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—The crops ...in Shawano, Waupaca, and Outagamie Counties are ...all looking very fine, and the last rain has been of ...great benefit. Wheat is looking better this year ...than for some time.

HE WILL VOTE FOR BLAINE.

An Old Pittsburg Democrat Gives His Reasons for Bolting Democracy.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 18.—[Special to the *World*.]—Ex-Mayor Robert Riddell, of this city, an old and life-long Democrat, has sent the following dispatch to Col. Bayne, of Chicago:

PITTSBURG, PA., June 6—2 p. m.—*Col. Thomas M. Bayne, Republican Convention, Chicago, Ill.:* Never voted for a Republican. Give me Blaine and I will make it tell in Ohio, where the votes are needed.

ROBERT RIDDELL.

In explanation of his course, Mr. Riddell said: "This eternal clamor among the Democratic leaders for free trade has tired me out. How did I come to send that dispatch to Bayne? Well, I was very much interested in him, and watched the bulletins from Chicago anxiously. When the second ballot was published, and showed Blaine beginning to pull away from Arthur, I could hardly keep from hurrahing with the crowd. I came down to my office then and sent the dispatch. I mean every word of it—with my coat off."

Mr. Riddell has lived in Pittsburg ever since he first came from England, thirty-one years ago. He is proprietor of the Gallatin Glass Works, near Mansfield, and heavily interested in the brewing firm of Spencer, McKay & Co., and interested in a number of other industrial and commercial enterprises. He was seven years in the coal business, is Vice-President of the Metropolitan National Bank, and a Director in several other banks and insurance companies. He is a man of large means, and has long been prominent in the Democratic party. He was elected Mayor of Pittsburg in 1877 over Miles Humphries, and defeated for the same office by Mayor Fulton last February. He has extensive business relations and a large acquaintance in Ohio, which gives significance to the concluding words of his telegram.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

This party held its first convention in Philadelphia when I was a schoolboy there. I had no idea that it was to become a great benefi... ...cence to the country. In a year or two it had control of Congress, and then raised another and an humbler class of men to the head of the Nation, took a poor country lawyer and put him at the head of the State, and next took a tailor from the bench, whose wife had taught him to read, and made him President too, and finally took a poor discharged soldier who had hardly anything in the world but an old blue overcoat and some bad habits and made him President for eight years. Most of us are better off that this party has been in power. Our cities have grown, our farms enlarged and more money per acre, our West has gone farther and farther off, and we have passed the whole world in our steam communications. In spite of these facts it is discovered that we have at last nominated a bad man. One of the great defects of this man in some people's estimation is that he was once a newspaper-man. That killed poor Horace Greeley. His jealous contemporaries, like Bryant and Jones, could not submit to see him made their ruler. There is a great fear somewhere about the heavy middle of the press that somebody will escape from it and become a balloon.

GATH.

REPUBLICAN CLUB AT FRANKFORT.

FRANKFORT, Ky., June 18.—The Republicans of Frankfort met at the court-house Saturday night and organized a Blaine and Logan Club. Mr. James M. Todd was made Chairman and Mr. John W. Jones Secretary. Speeches were delivered by the Rev. George W. Bryant, of color, formerly Lieutenant-Governor of Mississippi; Judge William H. Sneed, Dr. J. G. Hatchitt, and others. The club will meet again next Saturday night.

THE MAINE LAW MAN A DEMOCRAT.

CHICAGO, June 18.—[Editor of The Tribune.] —One of the chief promoters of the Maine Liquor law, passed in 1851, was Prof. Swallow, now in Columbia, Boone County, Mo. The Professor is a "dyed-in-the-wool" Democrat, has lived a long time in Missouri, but was at that time a member of the Maine Legislature. I have this from Prof. Swallow himself. Yours very respectfully, H. J.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Pioneer Reunions in Illinois and Michigan—Chicagoans Married at Geneva Lake.

A Train Wrecked by Robbers and One Man Reported Killed—Alleged Wife-Poisoning.

An Indiana Enoch Arden—Bishop Whipple's Work—Tragic Deaths—Illinois Sons of Veterans.

ILLINOIS.

ALLEGED WIFE-MURDER.

HENRY, Ill., June 17.—[Special.]—The Coroner's jury which was impaneled March 24 last to investigate the cause of the sudden death of Mrs. Eliza Kulp have just rendered a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to her death from poison administered by Joseph Kulp, her husband, and recommended that he be held to answer for the crime. The arrest was made and the accused lodged in the county jail.

BISHOP SPALDING AT HENRY.

Bishop Spalding, of Peoria, administered the rite of confirmation to seventy children at St. Mary's and to thirty at St. Joseph's Catholic Churches in this city.

THE ADAMS MURDER TRIAL.

DECATUR, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—This evening the people rested their case in the noted murder trial of John Q. Adams, the police officer who killed Joseph Cooper at Marco last fall. The two men had a few words, when Adams at a distance of eight feet sent a bullet through Cooper. Cal Braden testified that after Cooper was taken into a drug-store and placed in a chair Officer Adams appeared in the doorway, looked in, and said to Cooper: "I told you I'd kill you, d—n you!" Other witnesses stated that a knife was found on the person of Cooper by the officer, who handed it to Milton Adams. It was partly opened. Tim Walter testified that he couldn't state where Adams got the knife, but believed he took it out of Cooper's pocket, and then opened it as he handed it to Milton Adams. John H. Crocker was the first witness for the defendant. He saw the shooting from a distance, and noticed Cooper reaching for something in his pocket before he was shot.

DEATH OF CHARLES H. HOOK.

OTTAWA, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—Charles H. Hook, for twenty-five years prominent in Republican politics of this and adjoining counties and a former Circuit Clerk, died at his home at West Ottawa last evening at the age of 50 years. The funeral will occur tomorrow at 3 o'clock.

SONS OF VETERANS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—The second annual encampment of the Illinois Division of the Sons of Veterans was held here today. The reports show an increase from four to fifteen camps during the year, with a present membership of 300 in good standing. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Colonel—R. V. Mallory, of Springfield.
Lieutenant-Colonel—C. M. Burns, of Decatur.
Major—F. R. Ferguson, of Bloomington.
Chaplain—C. W. Raymond, of Watseka.
Surgeon—W. R. Huise, of Carlinville.

This evening addresses were delivered by John Mayo Palmer, United States District-Attorney, James A. Connolly, Judge J. H. Mathews, and others.

NEW ORGANIZATIONS.

New corporations of the following titles were licensed today by the Secretary of State: The Quincy Agricultural Works; capital stock, $50,000; incorporators, Thaddeus M. Rogers, Charles T. Rogers, and Walter C. Rogers. The American Economic Heater Company, at Chicago; capital stock, $500,000; incorporators, Thomas E. Petterson, Orrin S. Peck, H. F. Coffee, and John B. Payne to manufacture heaters for the use of oil, etc., as fuel. The Elliott Frog & Switch Company of East St. Louis; capital, $100,000; incorporators, Henry Elliott, Henry Elliott Jr., William Elliott, and James B. Elliott.

Licenses were also granted to the National Ozone Purifying & Preserving Company of America, at Chicago; capital stock, $5,000,000; incorporators, Isabel M. Mitchell, Gysbert Decierq, and Henry M. Clory. The Union Roller Mill Company, at Bloomington; capital stock, $50,000; incorporators, George H. Cox, W. B. Probasco, and H. M. Seneeny. The Polish Library, of Chicago; without capital stock; incorporators, Stanislaus Nieki, Josef Olbinski, Kazmicrs Baczowski, Zbieniew Brodowski, Peter P. Okonicwski, Bernard Rezensky, and Michael Osach.

THE MT. PULASKI MURDERS.

LINCOLN, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—Today the attorney for Ferris, accused of connection with the Mt. Pulaski murders, kept up his Uncle-Dickey-Williams'-wedding-and-charivari theory of the alibi. The great beer-drinking was also told and retold until the whole proceeding became exceedingly stale and uninteresting. Witnesses were positive, and fixed the dates in all manner of ways. Attorney Blinn's cross-examination laid several up for repairs, but one or two stuck to their stories. The prosecution is not alarmed at this array of evidence in Ferris' favor, but they say good citizens will swear that the great event which is passing into history with Uncle Dickey's marriage transpired on an entirely different date. At adjournment of court Ferris' attorney stated he would probably consume all of tomorrow.

BEAUCHAMP—PORTEAS.

ELGIN, Ill., June 18.—[Special.]—Mr. A. Beauchamp, of Chicago, and Miss Ada Porteas, of Elgin, were married in this city today. The Rev. Father Mackin officiated. The ceremony being performed at the Catholic Church in the presence only of the immediate friends of the contracting parties.

FOX RIVER VALLEY OLD SETTLERS.

The old settlers of the Fox River Valley held their annual meeting and basket-picnic in Elgin today. The attendance was unusually large and the proceedings decidedly interesting to the pioneers participating. The oldest person in attendance was Mrs. Nancy Kimball, mother of the late ex-Mayor William C. Kimball, one of Elgin's founders, and who owned the land upon which a good portion of Elgin rests. Mrs. Kimball is 97 years of age, and is as spry as the ordinary woman of 60. "Father" Brewster, of Wheaton, who has grown to be a central figure at the gatherings of the pioneers, was in attendance and delivered himself of a vigorous little talk. He is in his 92d year. Capt. C. B. Dodson, of Geneva, the first Indian agent of these parts, made an interesting little speech, embodying his earliest recollections. "Deacon" Owen, the founder of the Elgin *Gazette*, came from Rock Island to attend the meeting. A kindly letter was read from Judge Isaac G. Wilson regretting his inability to be present.

INDIANA.

RELIGIOUS AND CRIMINAL STATISTICS.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 18.—[Special.]—William A. Peele, Chief of the Bureau of Statistics, today distributed the fifth annual report of the Statistical Department. Of the 17,778 persons reported as prisoners in jail the last year 1,576 were from Indiana, and 2,194 were foreigners. In 10,378 cases the crimes were reported unknown. The church statistics give the number of Methodist organizations as 1,252; Baptist, 391; Catholic, 230; United Brethren, 341; Presbyterian, 316; Christian, 555. Membership, Methodist, 113,005; Baptist 97,113; Catholic, 86,398; United Brethren, 19,481; Presbyterian, 40,344; Christian, 53,403. Total membership of all churches 460,714.

SERIOUS FAMILY FEUD.

At Zionsville, fifteen miles north of this city, two young men named Tunstill demanded money of their father. He refused, and, it is alleged, they fell upon him and beat him and shamefully clubbed another son who came to his father's assistance. It was thought the two injured men were murdered, but today they are improved and may recover. The boys are in Boone County skulking in the woods, and their arrest is probable.

ALLEGED PENSION SWINDLE.

Daniel K. Charles was arrested at Cherubusco, Whitley County, yesterday by Deputy-United-States-Marshal Barrecio charged with obtaining a pension of $4,000 by means of a fraudulent certificate in the Northern Illinois District. The necessary papers were issued for his transfer to Chicago for examination and trial.

LUMBER-DEALERS' ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the retail lumber-dealers of Indiana was held today for the purpose of organizing an association for mutual protection against agents and wholesale dealers who are selling to contractors and consumers at the same price as to dealers, thus ruining the latter's trade. Officers were elected, as follows:

President—N. F. Dalton, Vincennes.
Secretary and Treasurer—W. B. Allen, Indianapolis.
Directors—Dwight Fraser, Indianapolis; R. S. Miner, Attica; C. T. Farnam, Richmond.

It is not true that walnut-lumber dealers are buying up all the walnut for shipping. The truth seems to be that walnut is hardly in so great demand as in years past, as mahogany and cherry are largely coming back into fashion, and walnut, instead of being king, is only one of many superior woods.

LARGE BUILDING CONTRACT.

MADISON, Ind., June 18.—[Special.]—The building of the Eagle Cotton Mills, of Madison, was last night awarded by the Directory to Rankin & White, of this city. The contract price is $55,000.

THE WALLING ROMANCE.

MUNCIE, Ind., June 18.—This city and county is in a fever of excitement over the return of Thompson Walling, formerly a resident of this city, but for more than thirty years supposed to be dead. Mrs. Walling, whom he left a young wife with three children, has since been married twice and has lost both husbands, and the first husband and wife met last night for the first time since 1849. April 1, 1841, Thompson Walling married Susannah Shafer, daughter of a prominent farmer, and in 1849, when the gold fever was at its hight, Walling went out with a number of now prominent citizens. From 1859 no word was received, and as years passed he was given up as dead. His father's large estate was administered as if such was the case, and Mrs. Walling remarried to Horatia V. Wilcoxen in 1863. In 1865 Wilcoxen was killed in a sawmill, and in 1866 Jeremiah Veach married the twice-desolate widow, living with her in Springport, Henry County, until his death in 1883. In the meantime Volney Wilson, a prominent citizen and stanch friend of the Wallings, never gave him up, but flooded the West with letters of inquiry. In February last Walling, while Deputy Postmaster at Weatherby, Ore., under a Postmaster who himself had been absent from his family twenty years, picked up a letter marked Muncie and directed to the Postmaster, and upon opening it, found it was an inquiry for him. Correspondence with Wilson resulted, and yesterday Walling returned and spent last evening with his wife of thirty-five years ago. It is more than likely that a marriage will close the romantic history.

A WOMAN MURDERED.

PRINCETON, Ind., June 18.—The body of Mrs. Thomas Skelton was found in her residence near Owensville last evening. Two wounds on the back of her head indicated that she had been killed with an ax. The woman's husband had left her ten days before after a quarrel. No arrests have been made.

WISCONSIN.

WHEELER—RUMSEY.

LAKE GENEVA, Wis., June 18.—[Special.]—A wedding occurred in high life at noon today at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Communion, the contracting parties being Mr. S. H. Wheeler and Miss E. Theodora Rumsey, daughter of J. S. Rumsey. The event was one of the grandest ever witnessed here. The church was hung with every device of floral decoration appropriate to the occasion. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. W. H. Vibbert, of St. James' Church, of Chicago, assisted by the Rev. R. T. Kerfoot, of this place. Both parties are of Chicago. Mr. J. S. Rumsey, father of the bride, is just settled in his summer home here for the season, and the bridegroom has just had completed an elegant summer cottage on the lake shore, where he will bring his bride after their tour of five weeks to the Pacific coast. The wedding was a quiet one, none but immediate relatives being invited from abroad, but the Chicago people who are now in their summer homes at Lake Geneva were present, among whom were members of the Crane, Ritter, Dunlap, and Dow families. Mr. Reynolds, organist of St. James' Church, Chicago, presided at the organ.

MINNESOTA.

HONORS TO BISHOP WHIPPLE.

FARIBAULT, Minn., June 18.—[Special.]—A large number of noted civil and ecclesiastical dignitaries representing many States of the Union are here today as guests of the City of Faribault, the occasion being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the accession of Bishop Whipple to the Episcopate of the State of Minnesota. Places of business were closed, and an ovation given, addresses being made by Mayor Lowell, the Hon. Gordon E. Cole, of this city, Bishop Knickerbocker of Indiana, and others. Mr. Cole was the chief speaker, and he reviewed the life and work of the Bishop in the Northwest, where he has labored so long and successfully, establishing the church of his faith, in building the schools of the Seabury Mission in this place, and his efforts to Christianize the Indians, for whom he has a most tender regard.

The guests to the Bishop's quarter-centennial are invited to remain until the 20th, during which time they will visit and inspect the numerous institutions which the Bishop has been instrumental in establishing.

NEBRASKA.

TRAIN-WRECKERS.

RED CLOUD, Neb., June 18.—[Special.]—Passenger-train No. 40 left this city last night at 8 o'clock. When three miles west of Hubbell, Neb., while crossing a bridge thirty feet high, it was thrown from the track by a misplaced rail. The engine and baggage and express cars went tumbling down to the bottom, injuring a number of passengers and three of the trainmen.

Alexander Stewart, the engineer, had his leg broken and was otherwise badly injured.

Pat Lyman, the conductor, had both legs broken and was otherwise injured.

John McNaughton, the express messenger, is reported killed.

The wreck was the work of train-robbers, who intended to rob the express-car. It is reported that a reward of $1,000 has been offered for the robbers by the Burlington & Missouri Railway. The parties injured were taken to Wymore this morning.

IOWA.

MEETING OF SPORTSMEN.

MASON CITY, Ia., June 18.—[Special.]—The seventh annual convention and tournament of the Iowa State Sportsmen's Association for the protection of game and fish is in session at the fair-grounds of this city, with a generous attendance from all parts of this State and a few delegates from Illinois.

STOCK-FARM SOLD.

IOWA CITY, Ia., June 18.—The fine stock-farm of Carey B. Smith was sold at auction today to Gen. I. F. Ross, of this city, for $18,700.

MICHIGAN.

PIONEER PICNIC.

CASSOPOLIS, Mich., June 18.—[Special.]—Not less than 10,000 people assembled on the fair-grounds here today at the annual pioneer picnic. Gov. Blair, the Hon. G. C. Jones, Judge Clisbee of this place, and the Hon. James Shaw delivered addresses. G. C. Jones was elected President, C. W. Clisbee Secretary, and J. B. Stamp Treasurer.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN AS POSTMASTER.

Washington (D. C.) letter to *New York Sun*: Very few people, probably, are aware that Abraham Lincoln was once a Postmaster at a country settlement called New Salem, near Springfield, Ill. In rummaging among some old papers in the Post-Office Department the other day the documents showing a settlement of his accounts were found, and by reference to the records it appears that the 7th of May, 1833, when he was about 24 years old, he was appointed to succeed Isaac Christman as Postmaster, and filed a bond of $500, with N. Alley and A. Trent as sureties.

He served from that date till the 30th of May, 1836, but it was more than six months before his accounts were settled, there having been a dispute with the Auditor of the Treasury, who finally decided in Lincoln's favor, and a draft for $202.36 was sent to him in care of the Postmaster at Springfield, Ill.

The post-office at New Salem was abandoned, and the people at the crossroads were compelled to go to Springfield for their mail, else Lincoln might have served longer in the post. His compensation for nearly four years amounted to only $955.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER NEWS.

Boston *Daily Advertiser*: It is currently reported that the New York morning papers, which lowered their prices a few months since, will advance them again after the Presidential election—the *Herald* and the *World* back to three cents, and the *Times* to three. The *Tribune* will not change. The reduction is said to have been found totally unremunerative.

THE MAN FROM MAINE.

Butler Thinks Blaine's Nomination the Strongest That Could Have Been Made,

And Considers Blaine Especially Strong in New York, Connecticut, and New Jersey.

Blaine as a Business-Man—His Wisconsin Address Suggesting the Municipal-Indebtedness Acts.

THE WAR-CRY.

"BLAINE OF MAINE!"

Blaine and Logan!
Sound the slogan,
Let it ring from shore to shore;
Battle greets us,
Victory meets us,
Marching to the White-House door.

Bear our standard
In the vanguard;
Hear our war-cry, "Blaine of Maine!"
Shout it loudly,
Shout it proudly;
Echo sounds the glad refrain.

Let us rally,
Forward sally;
Think not that we fight in vain:
Soon will rapture
Mark the capture
Of the foe by Blaine of Maine.

W. R. BENJAMIN.

GEN. BUTLER.

HE DOUBTS THE WISDOM OF PITTING CLEVELAND AGAINST BLAINE—THE REPUBLICANS HAVE PUT UP THEIR STRONGEST MAN—WHY BLAINE IS STRONG IN NEW YORK STATE—THE ONE CHANCE OF THE DEMOCRATS.

New York *Sun*, June 17: "Are you willing to give your views of the political situation, General?" asked a reporter of the *Sun* of Gen. Benjamin F. Butler at the Fifth Avenue Hotel yesterday.

"I do not know that they will be of interest to anybody," was the answer, "but I know no reason why I should conceal them."

Reporter—"What do you think of the nomination of Mr. Blaine?"

Gen. Butler—"I gave my views on this subject the day after his nomination. It is the strongest nomination that could have been made, as it has turned out."

Reporter—"But there seems to be a great number of bolters."

Gen. Butler—"More apparent than real. I can remember when Mr. Webster said of Taylor's nomination by the Whig party, 'It's a nomination not fit to be made,' which was true; but the popular enthusiasm carried him through, and the bolters were whipped in before election. In Massachusetts 40,000 Republicans left the party in 1878 and 1879 and voted independently. But they were not the so-called Independents of today. Their action was a protest against the rule of the Republican party, which was then substantially under the control of the men who now bolt Mr. Blaine's nomination, and James Freeman Clarke and Charles Francis Adams and their coworkers, now having repudiated the regular nominations of the party, in most contingencies will return to Mr. Blaine, certainly rather than vote for anybody that those men should support by what party soever nominated."

Reporter—"But is not New York the battleground?"

Gen. Butler—"Yes, and the neighboring States of Connecticut and New Jersey. In New York this curious political condition arose. In 1882 60,000 to 75,000 Republicans voted for the Democratic candidate for Governor, and so many Republicans staid at home that he was elected by the enormous majority of 192,000; but with all that majority he received only some 850 more votes than did Hancock in 1880. But what was the Republican vote, either actively voting or remaining silent? It was a protest against the Republican Administration which had repudiated Mr. Blaine, and against its nominee, Mr. Folger, by the Republicans devoted to Mr. Garfield and Mr. Blaine, and but few of them are the men who now bolt Mr. Blaine's nomination. That vote, of course, will not be cast back to Mr. Blaine. So it would seem to be unwise for the Democracy to count on that vote for carrying the State of New York. That that vote is not to be depended upon by the Democratic Governor who was so triumphantly elected is seen by the fact that the very next year, when the Governor caused Mr. Cleveland to be nominated as Secretary of State—the leading officer on the ticket, Mr. Maynard—he was defeated by some 30,000 votes, while the rest of the Democratic ticket were elected, making a change in one year (if anybody could be so silly as to believe that the 192,000 majority of the previous year was to be relied upon as Democratic votes) of 222,000 votes."

Reporter—"Who do you think can carry the State of New York?"

Gen. Butler—"Pardon me. It would neither be profitable nor proper for me to make prophecies. It would be neither interesting nor valuable. But if you desire, I will state a few facts. The Governor felt it his duty as a matter of administration to veto the bill which enacted five-cent fares on the elevated railroads. That involved a very large amount of money to be taken from the middling and laboring classes, who principally use that railroad, every year, as you will see, when the statistics show that 97,000,000 people are carried yearly on these roads, the veto securing to the railroads 10 cents fare instead of five cents each, making a sum of $4,850,000 yearly. If the veto had stopped there, perhaps it might have been shown that this was necessary to be done, although it gave an impetus to the anti-monopolists which they never before had; but the ground on which the veto was based was certainly not Democratic, and that was that there was no constitutional power in one Legislature to regulate and abridge privileges granted by a former Legislature to a public agency, however oppressive those privileges had become. Again, it has been unfortunate for the Democracy that the Legislature has passed a bill with the approval of the Governor taking from the Aldermen chosen by the people the power of rejecting or confirming the appointment of city officers, and that confined to the City of New York alone, apparently as a punishment of that city because it gave Democratic majorities. The Constitution of the United States and of every State in the Union, framed by our Democratic fathers, have placed the control of the appointment of officers in the hands of a part of the legislative body, and the same rule has been applied substantially in all cities. The officers of the City of New York have more important duties and have larger emoluments than the officers of most States in the Union. If our fathers were right this bill is not Democratic, but favors the one-man power. That the example was immediately attempted to be copied in regard to the City of Boston by the Massachusetts Legislature, with a pro-Irish Republican majority, emphasizes this construction. If the Democracy will permit the Republicans, bolting or regular, to nominate its candidate for President for it, why may not this principle be carried through all branches of our Government?

"Again, Mr. Blaine is a protectionist, and New York has become the greatest manufacturing State in the Union, and Connecticut and New Jersey are in proportion equally interested in the tariff question. Now, everybody knows that upon that question Gen. Hancock was beaten in New York, and everybody also knows that the establishment of free trade in this country would benefit England and her despondencies more than all other countries in the world. It will be very difficult to convince a large class of our citizens, especially those who are not at all in love with England or her institutions or her treatment of Ireland, that it is best to vote for the candidate of the Democratic party in favor of free trade, and thus to play into the hands of our old enemy, John Bull. Is it not an admitted fact that to carry New York is necessary to the success of the Democratic party? Can anybody who cannot reconcile all the differences in the party in New York, and who will be open to local antagonisms, carry that State, however great or high his qualifications may be?

"Success at the coming election is not only the duty of the Democracy, but an indispensable necessity; for failing to carry the election this year gives four more years of power to the Republican party, and under a bold and daring leader, of great ability, large resources, and agile policy, who has shown more political sagacity and who by his unaided efforts has wielded more political power than any other man of the present generation, the party will so intrench itself in possession of the Government that its hold upon the Nation cannot be overthrown, in the next generation at least; and if at all it will be done by some new party of the people, rising from the débris of the present political organizations, more radical, more progressive, and more devoted to the interests of the whole people against the agression of the few. This will be the true Democracy, which will make no entangling alliances with the 'mammon of unrighteousness.'"

BLAINE AS A BUSINESS-MAN.

HIS WISCONSIN ADDRESS SUGGESTING THE MUNICIPAL-INDEBTEDNESS ACTS.

Boston (Mass.) *Journal*: Will the businessmen of the country by their votes place the destinies of this country in the hands of the Democratic party? Do they wish to enlarge the area of Democratic rapacity, as we have it in New York and as they are striving to plant it in Boston? Are the methods of the leaders of the Democracy in Boston and in New York such as to induce the Republicans to vote against Mr. Blaine? The business-men of this country, the mechanics and laboring men of this country, cannot afford to vote against the party which has given prosperity to the country. We have not had in forty years a candidate so thoroughly conversant with the business interests of this country as Mr. Blaine. He is practically one of the best business-men in public life, and his career in Congress has been one prolonged study of the course of trade and the guiding elements of honest finance. Take Mr. Blaine's record on the important subject of taxation. Ten years ago he was the first to sound the alarm regarding the increasing danger of municipal indebtedness. In a speech in Wisconsin it was he who suggested the municipal-indebtedness acts. He suggested that it would be a wise and salutary provision to define in State Constitutions the precise ends for which municipal credit should be used—limiting those uses to proper and restricted objects, and forbidding in any event the creation of a debt beyond a specified percentage of the official valuation of the city or town. This was in 1874, and in 1875 Massachusetts adopted the suggestion and passed the Municipal-Indebtedness act—a measure which checked extravagance, and is beyond question the most important legislative act of the last ten years, especially for business-men, who pay 90 per cent of all the municipal taxes which are levied. There is a business ring to this whole address, the concluding sentence of which we will give as indicative of the business sagacity of the man who uttered it:

With a population so widely extended, with local interests so greatly diversified, and often in seeming conflict, it is not to be expected that so great a Government as ours can at all times be administered with perfect satisfaction to every section and every citizen. But we daily grow to know more of each other, and I am sure it will be found of the East and of the West, of the North and of the South, that the more intimately they become acquainted and related the better they will like each other and the less will appear the differences that sometimes divide them. Trade and currency, internal improvement and cheap transportation, are all susceptible of fair settlement after full discussion; and in the final arbitrament of a wise statesmanship it will be found in regard to these questions, and all others of like magnitude, that the interest of one section is the interest of all, and that the "more perfect union" which our fathers sought to establish will be fully and finally realized when each section is unwilling to enjoy an undue advantage over any other, and when all sections are alike ready to be governed in what they ask and in what they give, in what they demand and in what they concede, by that spirit of patriotism which always obeys the "authority of principle" and always yields to the "despotism of duty."

PRESS-TALK.

POLITICAL POINTS FROM THE NEWSPAPERS.

Conneaut (O.) *Herald*: Seated on chairs before the doors of Lake, Thayer & Smith's bank Thursday forenoon were a number of old gentlemen who had met there by chance, and improved the opportunity to renew their acquaintance, talk over old times, and relate reminiscences of the past. The gentlemen were Orson Brooks, of Denver, Colo., age 75 years; T. B. Howard, age 78 years; Hiram Blood, age 70; Hiram Lake, age 72; Loren Gould, aged 75, and S. C. Brooks. All excepting Mr. Brooks and Mr. Gould were born in this township. The meeting was very much enjoyed by all of them, and will long be remembered not only by the participants, but by others who witnessed it. While they were conversing Mr. Smith approached and asked those who were in favor of Blaine to hold up their right hands, and each and every one of the veterans, to whom the boys of two generations have looked for example and advice, raised both hands high and joyfully proclaimed that their services and their votes would be for the Man from Maine at the November election.

Pittsburg (Pa.) *Chronicle-Telegraph*: In hunting up historic wood for the gavel to be used in the Democratic National Convention next month, let them not forget to get a chip from a Southern slave-pen and one from the scaffold on which old John Brown was executed.

Philadelphia (Pa.) *Press*: "That tired feeling you have, do you know what causes it?" asks a patent-medicine advertisement. We do indeed. It comes from listening to this fairy-tale about Mr. Blaine not being able to carry Massachusetts.

Trenton (N. J.) *Gazette*: We would suggest to the Schurz-Gockin-*Times* combination of sublimated kickers that they go to England for a candidate. There doesn't appear to be anybody good enough for them in this country.

Kansas City (Mo.) *Journal*: The young men of the country must go to the front in the present Presidential contest. Enlisted under the banner of Blaine and Logan they can render their country as well as party great service, and at the same time cover themselves with glory.

St. Louis (Mo.) *Globe-Democrat*: The Democrats object to Gen. Logan on account of his alleged incapacity as a speller; but we venture to say that he can spell better standing on one foot and with both hands tied behind him than Gen. Jackson could with all his faculties in free play.

Shenandoah (Va.) *Herald*: Blaine and Logan stand upon a written platform propounding progress, protection, and education. We cannot oppose these. Virginia will not stand a bulwark against them.

Knoxville (Tenn.) *Chronicle*: The Memphis *Appeal*, since Tilden's declination, says success depends on the Democratic nominee's being a "right man." The Republican Convention at Chicago nominated the "right man," and his name it is Blaine.

Richmond (Va.) *Dispatch*: In all the South, particularly in Virginia, Mr. Blaine is the best-known, the most-respected, and the best-liked President. Elevated to the Presidency, he will be accepted by all classes at the South, oppressors and oppressed, white and black, Republicans and Bourbons, as one who, the friend of all, the enemy of none, will immediately enforce the laws *for all*—and we declare our honest conviction that Bourbonism, without a further struggle or outrage, will forever hide its diminished head the day that he takes his seat at Washington, and that the Bourbons themselves, ceasing to be brutes, will become decent and law-abiding American citizens.

☐ Troy (N. Y.) *Times*: Mr. Blaine will make very large inroads upon the Democratic party, and will gain more from it than he will lose from his own party. Among the rank and file of the Democracy there is a strong feeling for the "Man from Maine." There is something in his intense Americanism which captivates the masses, and which will attract to his standard scores and scores of patriotic Democratic citizens. We hear this on every hand.

☐ Danville (Ky.) *Tribune*: Tell the truth to Dixie! The Republicans, united and aggressive, have chosen as their standard-bearers the Leader of Leaders. And Blaine will carry all of the Northern States and several of the Southern States.

For Right is Right, since God is God,
And Right the day will win;
To doubt would be disloyalty,
To falter would be sin!

Pittsburg (Pa.) *Dispatch*: There is scarcely anything more certain than that the business interests which were talked about in New York, for instance, as being adverse to Blaine will, before November, be found foremost in urging his election.

Colorado (Tex.) *Clipper* (Dem.): It will be admitted that the Republicans have done the best work of nominations that they have done since the nomination of Lincoln and Johnson. They have had the fortune to place before the country the very strongest ticket that could possibly be selected from their ranks. Even barring the wonderful magnetism of Mr. Blaine and the many personal attractions that make him the idol of his party, the platform upon which he is placed is so sound that it is doubtful if Democratic statesmanship can formulate one more comprehensive or of sounder policy.

Washington (D. C.) *Republican*: It, as the Democrats and the Republican kickers claim, Blaine cannot carry New York, why is it that men of National fame who have spent their lives in serving the Democracy now have the contemptible impossibility of being set aside in favor of such comparatively unknown men as Cleveland and Flower are? Their only possible availability is in their supposed popularity in their own State; but if Blaine cannot carry that State because he cannot get his own party vote, it is not easy to see why McDonald, Randall, Carl

THE EXPOSITION.

Proposed Extension of the Building Temporarily Stopped by Mr. Stafford.

What the Directors Had Intended Doing—It Is Not Unlikely that They Will Go On with the Work.

The Exposition Company have in contemplation quite a number of improvements on the Exposition Building, and with that intention have secured a permit and already begun work. One object in view is to render the art gallery fire-proof, and this will be secured by the construction of a wall 120 feet in length between the art gallery and the main building, cutting off all communication between the two except the doors. The art gallery will also be roofed with tin and have iron-frame skylights as an additional safeguard.

There will be an addition to the main building consisting of a projection 250 feet in length extending south from the art gallery to the curve of the main building. The original wall of the main building has been taken away, and a new wall will be built out on a line with the east wall of the art gallery fronting the lake. This projection will afford additional exhibition surface of about 60x250 feet. The front will be of pressed brick with stone trimmings, showing large arched windows—the whole being similar in design to the present restaurant and the projection north of it. The entire work will cost about $35,000. This addition forms only part of a general plan to carry the projection around the whole building, and will probably include a fine conservatory at the south end.

The boiler-house has been refitted at an expense of between $4,000 and $5,000, and has now 1,000 available horse-power. The entire interior woodwork above the galleries has been coated with fire-proof paint at a cost of $4,000.

Arrangements are actively in progress for the fall exposition, and applications have already been received for exhibits enough to fill the entire building. The exposition will be almost entirely of industries and arts, and an interesting specialty in the mechanical department will be the exhibition of processes of manufacture. This will include all lofty manufactures of iron, wood, and textile fabrics. Silk and cotton looms will be shown actively at work, and among others a firm of this city will exhibit their manufacture of oheviots and ginghams.

The natural history and fine art departments will be full and interesting, and applications for space from Europe and all parts of America are pouring in. The company anticipates that the forthcoming exposition will be equal if not superior to those that have gone before.

JOHN STAFFORD STEPS IN.

There was consternation among the denizens of the City-Hall yesterday morning when John F. Stafford made his appearance and demanded to know who gave the Exposition people permission to erect a building. Controller Gurney didn't know. Commissioner Cregier wouldn't do such a thing, and finally the guilty man was found to be Mr. Kirkland, of the Building Department, who claimed that he was ignorant of any knowledge of the existing injunction, and, not being quite ready to go to jail for contempt of court, would inquire into the matter and withdraw the permit.

A reporter of THE TRIBUNE sought Mr. Stafford, and was permitted to make a copy of the following letter to President Seeberger:

CHICAGO, June 18.—*A. F. Seeberger, Esq., President Inter-State Industrial Exposition* — DEAR SIR: I clipped the following from an evening paper of yesterday: "The Exposition Company took out a permit today to build a one-story addition, twenty-five feet front by 260 feet in depth, to the Exposition Building, to cost $10,000."

There is a case pending in Judge Moran's Court for the removal of all buildings now on the Lake-Front. The injunction granted by him against the "Trades-Labor Union" and the City of Chicago was accompanied by an order of court that the buildings on that portion of the Lake-Front over which the State had jurisdiction should remain as they then were until the final decree of the court.

If I mistake not, this was at the suggestion of your solicitor (Mr. McCagg) and accepted generally by the others.

It is quite possible that not only the Board of Public Works had forgotten this when you asked for the permit, but Mr. Reynolds also. Now, you are aware that I have a suit in the United States Court for the ejectment of the base-ball company. To permit your company to build, while I am at the same time expelling them, might be deemed an act of partiality to which I cannot lend myself, much as I feel interested in your organization, in which I am a stockholder.

The law of "lis pendens" comes in here, and I don't propose to permit you to build when I compel them to tear down, until the court decides that it is proper for you so to do.

Please have your attorney investigate the situation and inform me what would be an unpleasant duty. Very respectfully, JOHN F. STAFFORD.

PRESIDENT SEEBERGER.

Mr. A. F. Seeberger, President of the Exposition Company, does not think that there will be any difficulty with regard to the erection of the addition to the building. He does not consider it any infraction of Judge Moran's injunction, as they are not putting up a new building, but simply making a continuation of the work commenced last year on the north side of the building. It has been their intention for years to make this addition, and there was no opposition to the extension made last year. They were simply roofing in land that was already occupied, and substituting a sound for a faulty wall.

SECRETARY REYNOLDS.

"All there is about it," said Secretary Reynolds, "is just this: We had to take down the east wall of the south half of the building, the foundations failing and the wall being shoved over a foot or so opposit the south dome. And, in doing so, we thought we would do what we had to do at the end—make the repairs in that shape—the whole thing new. It would give us a little more exposition room, but not much, and we would be glad to have it. But it seems there is an injunction which forbids the city from granting a permit to any one to erect a structure on the ground. We do not regard these repairs in the light of a structure that would be affected by the injunction, as the improvement could not stand alone, it amounting simply to a change of form in the old building, giving very much better light and ventilation."

"Did Mr. Culver tell you the addition would not be affected by the injunction—that it came under the head of repairs?"

"Mr. Culver was not consulted as an attorney. He is one of the Directors, but gave no opinion on the subject."

"The improvement will be made?"

"No. The work was suspended this afternoon on Stafford's notice. Boyington had secured the permit from Superintendent Kirkland, of the Building Department, and when I got Stafford's letter I went to him and had him stop the work. We had let some contracts, and the roof is partially torn off and the east side of the building open, but we don't propose, under any circumstances, to do anything which is of doubtful legality. If the court says the repairs contemplated would be in violation of the spirit of his order they certainly will not be made. There is no disposition to defy anybody or to do anything with a fight. Nothing was said when the north part of the building was repaired in the same way, and we supposed the injunction didn't apply. The stopping of the work is an annoyance, and unnecessary, it seems to me, because it cannot affect the question of title or any question that will be adjudicated with reference to it hereafter. We intended to spend $20,000 for the benefit of the public, and all we would gain would be a better-looking building. The wood and plaster west wall of the art gallery is to be replaced by a brick wall running through the roof, and an iron and glass and tin roof put on the gallery, which is to be made as nearly fire-proof as possible. These repairs are not prohibited in the injunction any more than the putting in of a pane of glass that had been broken."

"Will the 'repairs' on the south end be abandoned?"

"I don't know what will be done. The Executive Committee will meet tomorrow and decide. Unless the work is finished there will be a loss to the company, as the contracts have been let, but none of the material had been purchased."

BEECHER'S LUXURIOUS HABITS.

Ithaca Journal: Mr. Beecher has directed his manager, Mr. Pond, to book an extensive lecturing tour for next year. Mr. Beecher's salary is $20,000 per annum. He averages to receive double this sum from his lectures and a large additional sum from his pen. He is not rich, however. He keeps open house with his son, with whom he resides, and gives, loans, indorses, and does other unbusiness-like things constantly at a heavy cost to his treasury. It is said that beyond his farm at Peekskill, the house and stock thereon, and his library and brie-à-brac there and at Brooklyn, the great word-painter has nothing to show for his large income for each of very many years. His library is so large that it is now being catalogued with a view to soon making a sale therefrom. He has expended, it is estimated, $180,000 in books, and as many more have been given him by publishers. His house at Peekskill, built not long since, Mr. Beecher says has cost him $40,000. Others who watch business matters closer and are familiar with its growth say $70,000 would be nearer the correct sum. His cows are all Aldderneys, and the herd is believed to be worth $15,000 to $18,000. His farm and its manner of running and open hospitality is enough in itself to absorb a large income. It is yet somewhat incumbered. His collection of brio-à-brac would make a large and valuable museum. Fine prints, bronzes, painting, statuary—anything beautiful in shape or color—find a worshiper in Mr. Beecher, and it is said that he cannot go throurh the streets of New York or Brooklyn without becoming a purchaser as heroically as he may labor to resist and avert his eyes from tempting show-windows.

GOV. CLEVELAND CENSURED.

No Longer an Exponent of Reform—Friends of Good City Government in Both Parties Keenly Disappointed.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Gov. Cleveland, by withholding his signature from important municipal-reform bills which had passed both Houses of the Legislature, has caused great dissatisfaction among the friends of good government in this city. Disappointment and regret are expressed by members of both parties. Democrats who have been active in efforts to purify the City Government criticise the Governor's action severely and say that he can be no longer considered a representative of the reform element. The feeling in regard to the defeat of the Tenure of Office act is especially strong. *Tribune* reporters yesterday obtained a number of interviews with members of the Committee of Fifty-three and of the Council of Reform, and with others who had sought to remove the abuses in the administration of municipal affairs.

Though a large number of the members of the Union League Club are out of town, there are many whom business or choice causes to remain in the city. Among those who were in the club last evening a strong feeling of dissatisfaction with Gov. Cleveland's action was prevalent. They regarded his conduct in reference to the Tenure of Office and the Park Commission bills as an outrage on the community. "He has done himself irreparable injury," said one member of long standing, "and I am convinced that if there ever existed in the minds of any of the elder and more responsible members a disposition to consider him favorably as a Presidential candidate his present action has forever dissipated it. There seems to be little doubt that strong influences were brought to bear on him to veto the Tenure of Office bill for political reasons, and one man in this city worked hard to bring it about. It shows that Cleveland is a weaker man than has been supposed."

This opinion was reiterated by other members in a more or less outspoken manner, and every one seemed to view the matter in its relation to the approaching Democratic Convention. It was said, too, that in the Park Commission bill an excellent measure had been put aside simply because it seemed to be coupled with the Tenure of Office bill.

Said Salem H. Wales on this subject: "I am much disappointed at the Governor's action. Cleveland has weakened himself in the estimation of many members of this club who were favorably inclined to him. Concurrently with this feeling there is a strong Blaine sentiment growing every day here. I have this evening talked with many prominent members and they all either declare their preference for Blaine or else refuse to speak, which is a good enough sign. Certainly I do not believe that any prominent member of this club will vote for any Democrat that is likely to be nominated. The canvass, of course, has hardly begun, but when it does begin the feeling of the club will be keenly watched, for it is a potent instrument for good. When the time comes I believe it will be strongly for Blaine. Arthur, of course, was the chosen of the club. He was a member—a popular member—and his fellow-members knew his record, and were satisfied with his Administration; Blaine was not so well known. When he is there will be no opposition to him from the club as a club, I am convinced."

THE NEW DYNAMITE GUN.

Successful Experiments at Fort Lafayette—A Formidable Weapon.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Amid the ruins of Fort Lafayette, of which only the walls are standing, a party of men assembled yesterday to witness the experiments with the new dynamite gun, conducted by First-Lieut. E. L. Zalinski, Fifth Artillery, United States Army. Among them were Henry Steers, of the Naval Advisory Board; C. G. Francklyn; Tewfik Pasha, Turkish Minister at Washington; Capt. Ali Riza, Naval Attaché of the Turkish Legation; Gen. Abram Duryee, Col. William Shaffer, W. E. D. Stokes, S. D. Schuyler, Charles Heckscher, James Flanagan, David A. Burr, W. A. Bartlett, Lester A. Bartlett, and George H. Reynolds, superintendent of the Delamater Iron Works. The gun with which the experiments were made is something entirely different from any ordnance heretofore used. It is a narrow, seamless brass tube 41½ feet long and 15 inches in diameter, mounted on an angle-iron trestle, and connected with an air reservoir containing fifteen charges. To this was united a small iron pipe running into one of the casemates where there was a steam air compressor. The projectile was a thin brass tube three feet long, in which were thirty-six cartridges placed side by side, each containing a gun-cotton primer and by fulminate of mercury at the moment when the iron head should strike the object aimed at. This dynamite arrow was feathered by a long wooden sabot.

The target was a bank of sodden earth south of Fort Hamilton, and was 700 yards away. Compressed air was suddenly admitted to the long pneumatic tube by pulling the lanyard. An explosion followed, and, after a brief interval, another much louder as the projectile struck the bank and the dynamite dug a deep hole in the earth. Five shots were fired, four sending two dynamite shells into the bank, one against the sea-wall below it, and one into the water near it. The fifth threw a shell two miles away, into the water. For the first shot the shell was not charged. For the second, sixteen and three-quarter pounds of dynamite were used. For the third seventeen, and for the fourth and fifth each fifteen pounds. Each shot was fired with an air pressure of 500 pounds to the square inch. Every shot struck within three feet of the point aimed at, and Lieut. Zalinski declared that the gun worked as accurately and as easily as any rifled gun.

A score of gentlemen stood about the gun examining its curious construction, when Lieut. Zalinski stepped up tenderly carrying the projectile.

"This," said he, touching the shell, "contains seventeen pounds of dynamite, sufficient to"—but the remainder of the sentence was left unfinished, for the soldier found himself talking to the gun. His audience had disappeared. The four charges of dynamite exploded on striking. An explosion of "free dynamite" was made on the western face of the fort. Ten pounds were placed on twelve sheets of boiler-iron, without any "tamping," and in the open air. The thickness of the iron sheets, laid one over the other, was ten inches, and they were supported on three heavy timbers one foot square. Ten of the plates were perforated by the discharge, and the two others were deeply indented. The experiments were entirely satisfactory to all present. Seventy-five pounds of dynamite were used, costing only 51 cents a pound. A new engine is to be constructed within ten days, by which an air-pressure of 2,000 pounds to the square inch can be utilized for a propelling power, and experiments will be made with a gun of six inches calibre, carrying the projectiles, charged with 100 pounds of dynamite, three miles.

HUMOR.

Soft soap for all sorts of people—For a Lieutenant, call him a Captain. For a middle-aged lady, say you mistook her for her daughter. For a young gentleman rising 15, ask his opinion respecting the comparative merits of Mechi and Mappin as razor-sellers. For young ladies, if you know their color to be natural, accuse them of painting.

A German composer was conducting one of his overtures. As the horns played too loud he told them repeatedly to play more softly; and more softly they played each time. At the fourth repetition, with a knowing wink at each other, they put their instruments to their lips but did not blow at all. The conductor nodded approvingly. "Very good indeed. Now one shade softer and you'll have it."

A Brooklyn clergyman declares that "the eternal glory of Heaven would be incomplete without a background of infinit wo to set it in relief." An infidel may have some time uttered a more shocking, blasphemous dogma, but history has been charitable enough to ignore it.

"Papa's Home Tonight" is the title of a new song. So the old man has yielded at last. Let's see, it must be about fifteen years since they began to coax him with "Father, Dear Father, Come Home."

Two lovers agreed to commit suicide at the same hour the other night. Next morning both were up an hour earlier than usual to look over the paper, and their disappointment and disgust at such conduct on the part of the other was too deep for utterance.

During these cool, breezy mornings, when the air appears fresher and the fields are bespangled with dew-diamonds, when all Nature seems to invite man to a romp, how pleasant it is, just as the first streaks of daylight steal through the shutters, for the refreshed, reinvigorated sleeper to turn over in bed and take another nap.

The other day a visitor surprised a distinguished Professor, who was saying to his baby, "On-ny, no-ny, e mussy tick his little foosey tootsies." Just then he caught sight of the visitor, blushed, and muttered: "No, no, you must not expose your pedal extremities by extending them beyond the protecting covering of the blanket, or you will lay your system open to attacks of catarrhal affection."

They were five young ladies, all sisters, and known as the Misses Murphy. He was a bashful young fellow, and was very sweet on one of the girls, but didn't like to propose. He had been invited to dinner one Sunday, and during the meal the eldest, noticing that he had finished all his meat, said: "Will you have a little more meat, Harry?" "No, thanks," he replied: "but, he continued, "I don't mind taking a Murphy," and he cast his eye from the table to the idol of his affections.

Dogs in Shakspeare—At a dinner not long ago Lord Nugent (the greatest Shaksperean scholar of his day) affirmed that there was not, in the whole series of the plays, a single passage, directly or indirectly, the moral qualities of the dog. Thinking this to be impossible, Sir Henry Holland accepted the wager which Lord Nugent had offered him on the subject, with the concession of a year to make his research. Even with the aid of several friends he failed to find any such passage, and at the close of the year he paid the guinea he had lost.

The Bill Sykes fraternity in following out their profession of house-breaking sometimes give evidence of an amount of ingenuity worthy of a better cause. A burglar concealed under the bed of a married couple by some inauticious movement almost betrayed his presence, the noise he made being sufficient to make the wife call her husband's attention to the sound. "It's only one of the dogs," was the sleepy answer, and, snapping his fingers, he called by its name one of his favorits which was supposed to be present. The thief's presence of mind did not desert him, though on the brink of discovery; for, divining the situation at once, he immediately licked the extended hand in the hope of confirming the gentleman's surmise. The clever ruse was not, however, we believe, successful, though one might say it deserved to be for its boldness and ingenuity. Lectures cannot obscure the fact that in all the elements of patience, obedience, and loyalty he is a failure and a fraud.

Several years ago I trained with reformers, and a more cold-hearted pack of scoundrels I never knew. They were nearly all egotists, with but little balance of character, and that is why they preferred to be reformers rather than upright partisans. Some little kink, or scruple, or insect seemed to them bigger than the great question in hand. Sometimes they had not been consulted. At other times they had done some frightful violence to human nature, and could not support the nomination because they were conscious of their own inhumanity. It matters nothing to the young men who have acted with the Republican party if Blaine is beaten; they can fall into line behind their Chief Magistrate, whatever be his party relations. But assaulting Mr. Blaine and his friends on circumstantial pretensions in this country. If this respecting of persons is to demolish our convention popular system let the egotists fall into the ditch they have dug. Blaine is too much of a man to please any eunuch. It has been his misfortune at different times in his life to entertain at his house and table some of these reformers—men who are essentially spies by nature and only know a gentleman for the purpose of reporting something against him.

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WEST VIRGINIA BOOMING FOR BLAINE.

RIVERVIEW, W. Va., June 14.—I was present at a very enthusiastic meeting and organization of a colored men's Blaine and Logan Club at Stone Cliff, in this county, last evening. They organized by about seventy members, and will run the number up to 100. There will also be organized next week another club of the white voters at the same place that will have a membership already enrolled of over fifty-five names. Stone Cliff is only one of the mining towns along the line of the C. & O. R. R., but we propose to carry the Republican ticket a send-off from our polling-place of not less than 200 majority for the Plumed Knight and Black Eagle nominees of our party. Of one thing you may rest assured—we propose to wrest the State of West Virginia from the grip of the Solid South this fall and place her where she rightfully belongs, among the States where a free ballot and honest count are assured to all. And as we have no kickers here in our State, but are solid for Blaine and Logan, I feel very well assured we shall succeed.

BAD TIMES IN TEXAS.

Galveston *News:* The financial and business situations are more stringent at the present time in Texas than they have been for many years before. The same conditions doubtless prevail all over the country. There is not much probability of relief until a favorable crop situation shall change the scene; and this is one why they preferred to be reformers rather than upright partisans. Some little kink, or scruple, or insect seemed to them bigger than the great question in hand. Sometimes they had not been consulted. At other times they had done some frightful violence to human nature, and could not support the nomination because they were conscious of their own inhumanity. It matters nothing to the young men who have acted with the Republican party if Blaine is beaten; they can fall into line behind their Chief Magistrate, whatever be his party relations. But assaulting Mr. Blaine and his friends on circumstantial pretensions in this country. If this respecting of persons is to demolish our convention popular system let the egotists fall into the ditch they have dug. Blaine is too much of a man to please any eunuch. It has been his misfortune at different times in his life to entertain at his house and table some of these reformers—men who are essentially spies by nature and only know a gentleman for the purpose of reporting something against him.

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